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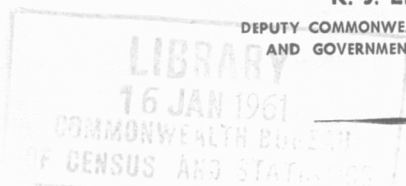
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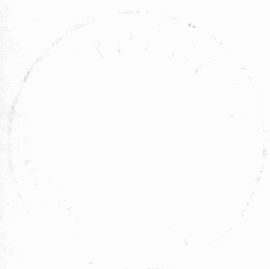
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STATISTICS OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Area of State—975,920 square miles

Area of Metropolitan Statistical Division—192 square miles

I—POPULATION AND VITAL STATISTICS

No. 1—Estimated Population of Western Australia (exclusive of full-blood Aboriginals†)

Period	Estimated Population at end of Period (a) (b)			Increase during Period	Masculinity (c)	Mean Population Year ended—(b)		Estimated Population of Metropolitan Stat. Div. at end of Period
	Males	Females	Persons			30th June	31st Dec.	
1955	345,487	325,263	670,750	21,335	106·22	648,930	658,747	365,000
1956	353,082	331,753	684,835	14,085	106·43	669,040	677,317	372,000
1957	360,031	340,183	700,214	15,379	105·83	684,518	691,723	380,000
1958	366,356	347,227	713,583	13,369	105·51	698,548	705,600	387,000
1959	372,252	354,237	726,489	12,906	105·09	712,257	718,830	393,000
1960—								
March Qr.	372,427	354,912	727,339	850	104·94	.....	....	(d)
June Qr.	374,225	356,356	730,581	3,242	105·01	725,114	....	395,000

† Estimated full-blood Aboriginal Population in the State on 30th June, 1960—11,000.

(a) Represents population at Census of 30th June, 1954, plus natural increase and recorded net migration since that date. (b) Subject to revision after the next Census.

(c) Number of Males to each 100 Females.

(d) Not available.

No. 2—Migration

Period	Arrivals			Departures			Excess of Arrivals over Departures (a)		
	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total
INTERSTATE									
1955	40,550	30,466	71,016	40,945	29,839	70,784	— 395	627	232
1956	40,767	29,932	70,699	43,338	32,091	75,429	— 2,571	— 2,159	— 4,730
1957	40,303	30,340	70,643	41,717	31,270	72,987	— 1,414	930	— 2,344
1958	42,757	30,772	73,529	43,706	32,277	75,983	— 949	— 1,505	— 2,454
1959	47,375	32,978	80,353	49,328	34,407	83,735	— 1,953	— 1,429	— 3,382
1960—									
March Qr.	13,963	9,923	23,886	15,939	11,181	27,120	— 1,976	— 1,258	— 3,234
June Qr.	11,015	6,915	17,930	10,871	7,181	18,052	144	— 266	122

OVERSEA

1955	9,968	8,217	18,185	4,302	4,024	8,326	5,666	4,193	9,859
1956	9,089	7,020	16,109	4,528	4,110	8,638	4,561	2,910	7,471
1957	6,920	6,834	13,754	4,169	3,489	7,658	2,751	3,345	6,096
1958	6,997	6,996	13,993	4,985	4,362	9,347	2,012	2,634	4,646
1959	7,662	7,031	14,693	5,299	4,720	10,019	2,363	2,311	4,674
1960—									
March Qr.	2,343	1,784	4,127	1,542	1,300	2,842	801	484	1,285
June Qr.	1,879	1,613	3,492	1,604	1,376	2,980	275	237	512

TOTAL

1955	50,518	38,683	89,201	45,247	33,863	79,110	5,271	4,820	10,091
1956	49,856	36,952	86,808	47,866	36,201	84,067	1,990	751	2,741
1957	47,223	37,174	84,397	45,886	34,759	80,645	1,337	2,415	3,752
1958	49,754	37,768	87,522	48,691	36,639	85,330	1,063	1,129	2,192
1959	55,037	40,009	95,046	54,627	39,127	93,754	410	882	1,292
1960—									
March Qr.	16,306	11,707	28,013	17,481	12,481	29,962	— 1,175	— 774	— 1,949
June Qr.	12,894	8,528	21,422	12,475	8,557	21,032	419	29	390

(a) Minus sign (—) denotes excess of Departures over Arrivals.

No. 3—Marriages, Births, and Deaths in Western Australia from 1955

Period	Marriages	Births			Deaths			Excess of Births over Deaths	Annual Birth, Death, and Marriage Rate per 1,000 of Mean Population			Infant Mortality Rate per 1,000 Live Births
		M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total		Birth Rate	Death Rate	Marriage Rate	
1955	5,145	8,436	8,187	16,623	3,106	2,273	5,379	11,244	25.23	8.17	7.81	22.44
1956	5,080	8,870	8,046	16,916	3,265	2,307	5,572	11,344	24.98	8.23	7.50	22.70
1957	4,897	8,738	8,186	16,924	3,126	2,171	5,297	11,627	24.47	7.66	7.08	21.09
1958	5,038	8,532	8,199	16,731	3,270	2,284	5,554	11,177	23.71	7.87	7.14	21.52
1959	5,387	8,726	8,385	17,111	3,240	2,257	5,497	11,614	23.80	7.65	7.49	20.16
1960—												
March Qr.	1,474	2,077	1,968	4,045	727	519	1,246	2,799	22.26	6.86	8.11	22.50
June Qr.	1,318	2,258	2,052	4,310	879	579	1,458	2,852	23.65	8.00	7.23	19.49

II—FINANCE

No. 4—State Revenue, July, 1959 to June, 1960

Particulars	April	May	June	Twelve Months ended 30th June
Governmental	£	£	£	£
Taxation (a)—				
Land Tax	149,858	194,939	277,924	1,299,524
Entertainment Tax	17,632	19,271	17,135	268,843
Totalisator Duty	14,933	8,567	9,919	137,906
Stamp Duty	168,435	180,923	190,215	1,916,895
Probate Duty	62,853	76,798	217,833	1,303,991
Licenses	5,053	5,145	3,537	467,539
Turnover Tax, Investment Tax and Bookmakers' Licenses	48,573	43,057	59,525	522,525
Total	467,337	528,700	776,088	5,917,223
Territorial—				
Land	12,695	20,158	12,372	407,750
Mining	6,790	4,749	617	108,158
Timber	59,705	87,529	71,709	923,035
Total	79,190	112,436	84,698	1,438,943
Law Courts	28,132	36,946	32,792	366,430
Departmental Reimbursements, Fees, etc.	321,979	554,075	1,895,431	7,843,174
Royal Mint	9,500	7,000	6,367	94,311
Total	359,611	598,021	1,934,590	8,308,915
Commonwealth—				
Financial Assistance Grant (a)	3,394,933	3,394,933	3,394,933	25,462,000
Grant under Section 96 of Constitution	262,417	262,417	262,417	3,500,000
Interest Contributions	39,453	39,453	39,449	473,423
Total	3,696,803	3,696,803	3,696,799	29,435,423
Total—Governmental	4,602,941	4,935,960	6,492,175	45,100,509
Public Utilities				
Country Water Supplies, Sewerage, Drainage and Irrigation	100,536	77,246	49,866	1,074,296
Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage	67,180	68,119	72,297	2,267,619
State Abattoirs and Slaughterhouses	10,410	11,914	27,481	155,698
Railways	1,204,901	1,193,912	1,610,901	14,771,057
Tramways	66,514	75,622	76,662	891,434
State Ferries	1,120	717	411	12,253
State Batteries	3,132	2,320	3,763	35,666
Caves House, etc.	5,994	3,860	2,313	41,302
Medina Hotel	2,817	3,010	2,106	38,078
Total—Public Utilities	1,462,904	1,436,720	1,845,800	19,287,403
Grand Total	6,065,845	6,372,680	8,337,975	64,387,912

(a) From 1st July 1959 the States Grants (Tax Reimbursement) Act has been replaced by Financial Assistance Grants shown under "Commonwealth".

No. 5—State Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue Fund, July, 1959 to June, 1960

Particulars	April	May	June	Twelve Months ended 30th June
Special Acts	£	£	£	£
Constitution Act	467	467	468	5,600
Loan Acts	949,056	949,056	1,084,405	11,526,377
Other Statutes—				
Auditor General	285	285	640	4,112
Agriculture Protection Board	8,750	8,750	8,750	105,000
Coal Mine Workers (Pensions) Act	1,500			24,000
Commonwealth Pensions				832
Court of Arbitration	799	799	1,081	10,572
Fire Brigades Act Contribution	28,931			113,439
Forests Act—Conservator of Forests	293	293	656	4,182
Forests Act—Transfer from Revenue	34,444	71,707	60,694	758,420
Government Employees Pensions Act	1,035	672	614	9,464
Judges' Pensions	360	361	360	4,498
Judges' Salaries and Pensions Act	1,661	1,607	Cr. 150	22,375
Land Agents Act				
Members of Parliament, Reimbursement of Expenses Act	3,943	3,939	3,933	33,284
Mine Workers' Relief Act	3,329			14,089
Native Administration Act				10,000
Parliamentary Allowances Act	16,133	16,250	16,229	193,423
Parliamentary Superannuation Act	34	34	34	10,862
Pensions and Retiring Allowances	10,582	10,523	10,406	128,585
Public Service Commissioner	291	291	662	4,158
Royal Mint				25,000
Superannuation and Family Benefits Act	65,666	65,699	65,551	837,874
The Agent General Act	250	250	250	3,000
University Building Acts	1,522		3,108	12,730
University Medical School Act		7,107		14,214
University of Western Australia—Subsidy	20,833	20,833	20,833	250,000
Wheat Industry Stabilisation				91
Total—Special Acts	1,150,164	1,158,923	1,278,524	14,126,181
Legislature				
Legislative Council	1,024	1,121	970	10,774
Legislative Assembly	1,289	1,186	1,676	15,136
Joint House Committee	1,712	1,660	2,850	26,626
Joint Printing Committee	2,066	1,799	3,913	27,070
Joint Library Committee	57	58	67	704
Total—Legislature	6,148	5,824	9,476	80,310
Departments				
<i>Premier, Treasurer and Minister for Tourists—</i>				
Premier	5,388	5,014	4,280	69,392
Treasury	13,323	14,761	18,958	167,815
Governor's Establishment	1,542	1,942	4,047	24,431
London Agency	5,977	4,077	3,624	36,579
Public Service Commissioner	2,356	Cr. 427	2,879	26,379
Government Motor Car Service	2,075	5,794	794	17,029
Audit	5,949	7,905	9,988	87,362
Compassionate Allowances	42	42	42	499
Government Stores	11,982	11,211	14,360	150,829
Taxation			25,000	50,000
Superannuation Board	1,433	1,257	1,820	16,362
Government Printer	47,045	40,684	53,631	496,826
Miscellaneous Services	213,651	216,040	412,297	2,932,261
Tourist Bureau	3,978	4,464	9,213	59,416
Total	314,741	312,764	560,933	4,135,180
<i>Minister for Education and Attorney General—</i>				
Education	652,875	737,803	882,087	8,516,289
Crown Law	49,616	46,794	68,462	577,040
Electoral	2,895	12,619	4,444	40,385
Licensing	737	837	1,350	9,923
Arbitration	2,704	2,200	3,286	29,281
Total	708,827	800,253	959,629	9,172,918
<i>Minister for Industrial Development and North-West—</i>				
Industrial Development	12,106	24,832	27,658	176,836
North-West	136,994	213,675	293,011	2,322,443
Harbour and Light	17,095	24,703	34,509	277,057
Total	166,195	263,210	355,178	2,776,336
<i>Minister for Agriculture—</i>				
Agriculture	68,848	80,913	86,326	860,770
College of Agriculture	4,667	4,905	7,040	57,513
Agriculture Protection Board	3,568	3,372	3,077	34,415
Total	77,083	89,190	96,443	952,698
<i>Minister for Works and Water Supplies—</i>				
Public Works and Buildings	69,400	122,490	89,469	1,314,026

No. 5—State Expenditure from Consolidated Revenue Fund, July, 1959 to June, 1960—continued

Particulars	April	May	June	Twelve Months ended 30th June
Minister for Mines and Housing—				
Mines	£ 33,688	£ 45,002	£ 49,091	£ 455,539
Minister for Lands and Forests—				
Lands and Surveys	66,571	74,684	98,174	814,514
Forests	40,989	27,796	41,805	404,700
Bush Fires Board	1,247	2,061	2,052	17,330
Total	108,807	104,541	142,031	1,236,544
Minister for Transport, Police, Labour and Native Welfare—				
Police	144,333	82,268	212,372	1,851,010
Labour	1,828	1,955	2,821	20,857
Scaffolding	681	1,095	668	9,549
Factories	3,258	2,734	4,765	36,533
Native Welfare	29,924	39,886	73,579	347,591
Monopolies and Restrictive Trade Practices .....	.....	.....	.....	3,791
Total	180,024	127,338	294,205	2,269,331
Chief Secretary and Minister for Health—				
Chief Secretary	12,501	6,467	8,828	124,324
Registry and Friendly Societies	3,165	3,212	4,388	38,414
Prisons	16,189	21,014	29,296	250,869
Observatory	1,200	718	1,373	9,556
Medical	331,734	249,909	587,766	4,316,919
Homes	32,562	39,055	51,978	432,246
Public Health	40,492	49,372	45,699	501,167
Tuberculosis	42,613	50,998	59,206	628,248
Mental Health Services	81,514	87,739	106,601	1,059,248
Fisheries	5,896	6,219	7,813	77,117
Total	567,866	514,703	902,948	7,438,108
Minister for Local Government, Town Planning and Child Welfare—				
Local Government	2,562	3,640	5,522	40,698
Town Planning	2,711	2,975	4,287	35,853
Child Welfare	53,369	61,492	71,015	653,542
Total	58,642	68,107	80,824	730,093
Total—Departments	2,285,273	2,447,598	3,530,751	30,480,773
Public Utilities				
Country Water Supplies, Sewerage, Drainage and Irrigation	117,618	143,234	136,652	1,570,837
Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage	103,607	94,503	169,672	1,245,970
State Abattoirs and Slaughterhouses	10,879	12,372	24,518	153,211
Railways	1,437,299	1,340,130	1,588,913	16,661,294
Tramways	98,894	94,774	124,441	1,217,524
Ferries	1,187	1,304	1,137	14,992
Caves House, etc.	2,962	4,420	6,790	42,179
Medina Hotel	1,743	2,676	3,261	32,389
State Batteries	15,293	12,693	15,824	168,066
Total—Public Utilities	1,789,482	1,706,106	2,071,208	21,106,462
Grand Total	5,231,067	5,318,451	6,889,959	65,793,726

No. 6—Net Loan Expenditure on Public Works, etc., from 1872

Includes Expenditure from Loan Suspense Account

Year	Railways and Tramways	Harbours and Rivers	Electricity Supply	Public Buildings	Water Supply and Sewerage, etc. (a)	Development of Goldfields and Mineral Resources	Development of Agriculture (b)	Miscellaneous (c)	Total (d)
Prior to July, 1955	£ 57,289,534	£ 13,717,192	£ 14,482,289	£ 14,026,662	£ 34,013,262	£ 5,962,334	£ 28,947,296	£ 23,785,452	£ 192,224,021
1955-56	3,069,649	819,147	1,024,690	2,093,645	2,758,108	73,360	801,748	2,673,968	13,314,315
1956-57	2,759,379	475,057	2,100,000	2,799,502	3,559,439	307,654	1,223,952	3,048,028	16,278,011
1957-58	2,104,682	699,109	1,240,000	2,945,308	3,847,128	517,394	466,303	2,315,861	14,135,785
1958-59	2,455,615	713,790	1,100,000	3,704,970	4,197,363	442,431	719,294	2,837,662	16,171,125
1959-60	2,226,645	686,717	776,506	4,361,260	4,773,572	226,476	485,164	2,715,682	16,252,022
Total	69,905,504	17,111,012	20,723,485	29,931,347	53,148,872	7,529,649	32,648,757	37,376,653	268,375,279

(a) Including Irrigation and Country Water Supplies.
Bank, and Land Settlement, etc.
Expenses and Revenue Deficits.

(b) Including funds provided for the Rural and Industries
(c) Including State Trading Concerns.
(d) Exclusive of Flotation

No. 7—Summary of State Revenue

Period	Collected by the State					From Common- wealth Funds (a)	Total State Revenue	Revenue per head of Mean Popu- lation
	Taxa- tion (a)	Land, Timber, and Mining	Business Concerns		Other Sources			
			Railways and Tramways	Other				
1955-56	£ 4,019,462	£ 1,248,828	£ 14,003,369	£ 3,376,725	£ 5,278,806	£ 21,685,216	£ 49,612,406	£ 74.15
1956-57	4,514,227	1,216,345	15,380,352	3,186,194	6,655,293	23,378,523	54,330,934	79.37
1957-58	5,366,954	1,258,135	13,833,375	3,429,276	7,264,650	25,901,587	57,053,977	81.68
1958-59	5,184,153	1,391,548	14,435,914	3,604,120	7,704,508	27,747,994	60,068,237	84.34
1959-60	5,917,223	1,438,943	14,711,057	4,576,346	8,308,915	29,435,428	64,387,912	88.80
1959-60—								
September Quarter	1,332,772	430,928	3,786,945	1,054,961	1,264,012	5,998,005	13,867,623	....
December Quarter	1,150,032	339,842	3,774,348	1,166,847	2,501,733	6,349,008	15,281,815	....
March Quarter	1,662,295	391,848	3,872,386	886,494	1,650,942	5,998,008	14,461,973	....
June Quarter	1,772,125	276,325	4,009,714	735,709	2,892,222	11,090,405	20,776,500	....

(a) For details twelve months ended 30th June, 1960, see Table No. 4.

No. 8—Summary of State Expenditure

Period	Interest and Sinking Funds, Public Debt	Lands, Surveys, Forests, and Mines	Business Concerns		Education	All other	Total State Expenditure	Per head of Mean Population
			Railways and Tramways	Other				
1955-56	£ 7,725,391	£ 2,073,289	£ 16,878,369	£ 2,713,619	£ 6,240,768	£ 15,811,801	£ 51,443,237	£ 76.89
1956-57	8,521,300	2,212,535	18,138,362	2,872,472	6,818,031	17,680,602	56,243,302	82.17
1957-58	9,651,536	2,136,445	16,772,010	2,706,134	7,586,224	19,234,958	58,177,307	83.28
1958-59	10,421,930	2,329,056	17,111,283	3,032,605	7,909,616	20,848,475	61,752,970	86.70
1959-60	11,526,378	2,366,555	17,878,318	3,330,247	8,640,807	22,050,921	65,793,726	90.74
1959-60—								
September Quarter	2,847,168	645,062	4,365,169	797,977	1,991,622	4,953,757	15,600,755	....
December Quarter	2,849,524	636,451	4,348,148	864,528	2,248,564	6,082,148	17,029,363	....
March Quarter	2,847,168	520,975	4,481,050	760,484	2,075,866	5,038,586	15,724,129	....
June Quarter	2,982,518	653,036	4,684,450	907,259	2,324,755	5,887,460	17,439,478	....

No. 9—Public Debt, 1956 to 1960 ; also Indebtedness per Head of Estimated Population

Date	Amount Maturing				Balance of Sinking Fund held by National Debt Commission	Net Indebtedness (Approx.)	
	London	New York	Australia	Total		Amount	Per head of Population
30th June	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1956	35,770,204	1,125,244	151,837,292	188,732,740	122,377	188,610,363	278.4
1957	29,585,490	1,148,259	174,411,294	205,145,043	55,918	205,089,125	296.4
1958	29,530,491	1,525,326	187,372,628	218,428,445	73,659	218,354,786	309.6
1959	30,630,491	1,912,873	199,575,215	232,118,579	86,437	232,032,142	322.6
1960	30,490,491	2,240,049	214,047,752	246,787,292	85,529	246,701,763	337.7

No. 10—Savings Bank Transactions in Western Australia

Period	Amount deposited during period (a)	Amount withdrawn during period (a)	Excess of Deposits over Withdrawals	Interest	Number of Accounts (at end of period)	Due to Depositors (at end of Period)		
						Total Amount	Average to credit of each account	Average per head of population
1955-56	£ 57,628,452	£ 54,490,986	£ 3,137,466	£ 1,167,385	No. 446,419	£ 57,933,790	£ 129.8	£ 85.5
1956-57	65,575,933	62,278,876	3,297,057	1,462,439	473,548	62,693,286	132.4	90.6
1957-58	71,189,164	69,499,307	1,689,857	1,565,208	497,690	65,948,351	132.5	93.5
1958-59	78,259,367	74,486,595	3,772,772	1,778,011	527,079	71,499,134	135.7	99.4
1959-60	91,677,753	86,598,464	5,079,289	2,043,846	550,966	78,622,269	142.7	107.6
1959-60—								
Sept. Qr.	23,462,302	20,522,475	2,939,827	110,041	525,960	74,549,002	141.7	103.2
Dec. Qr.	22,283,874	21,528,376	755,498	16,705	531,577	75,321,205	141.7	103.7
Mar. Qr.	22,667,361	21,916,996	750,355	26,199	543,727	76,097,759	139.9	104.6
June Qr.	23,264,226	22,630,617	633,609	1,890,901	550,966	78,622,269	142.7	107.6

(a) Exclusive of transfers from and to other States.

No. 11—Bank Clearings—Weekly Averages for Perth

Year	Quarter Ended—				Year
	March	June	September	December	
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
1955	14,467	13,729	12,808	14,287	13,793
1956	14,970	14,319	13,898	14,163	14,538
1957	16,283	14,653	14,523	16,784	15,569
1958	16,210	15,048	13,944	15,504	15,163
1959	18,614	15,322	16,507	18,429	*17,249
1960	21,947	21,156	....	....	....

* Revised.

No. 12—Cheque-paying Banks†—Averages of Customers' Balances and Bank Advances in Western Australia

Averages based on Amounts as at close of business each Wednesday

Period	Customers' Balances						Loans, Advances, and Bills Discounted			Ratio of Advances to Deposits
	Not Bearing Interest		Bearing Interest			Total	Aus-tralian Govts.	Other	Total	
	Aus-tralian Govts.	Other	Aus-tralian Govts.	Other						
				Current	Fixed					
1955-56	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	%
1956-57	835	70,204	9	2,273	13,929	87,250	....	71,293	71,293	81.71
1957-58	631	71,083	8	3,565	17,502	92,789	....	67,537	67,537	72.78
1958-59	786	69,048	69	3,253	20,083	93,239	....	70,599	70,599	75.72
1959-60	441	64,895	17	3,627	21,170	90,150	....	73,553	73,553	81.59
1959-60	504	69,881	23	4,190	21,440	96,038	....	71,032	71,032	73.96
1959-60—										
September Qr.	469	63,399	19	4,250	21,231	89,368	....	71,518	71,518	80.03
December Qr.	491	67,789	6	4,343	20,982	93,611	....	72,813	72,813	77.78
March Qr.	541	79,159	33	4,146	21,712	105,591	....	67,353	67,353	63.79
June Qr.	516	69,516	31	4,028	21,816	95,907	....	72,543	72,543	75.64

† Private Trading Banks, Commonwealth Trading Bank and Rural and Industries Bank of Western Australia (Rural Department only).

No. 13—Private Trading Banks†—Averages of Customers' Balances and Bank Advances in Western Australia

Averages based on Amounts as at close of business each Wednesday

Period	Customers' Balances					Loans, Advances, and Bills Discounted				
	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.	Year	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.	Year
	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000	£'000
1955-56	65,848	67,559	73,824	69,986	69,338	55,825	57,443	52,360	51,921	54,327
1956-57	67,865	73,004	79,684	73,532	73,531	52,282	51,576	48,195	50,605	50,494
1957-58	69,308	73,739	78,693	70,577	73,066	51,489	52,587	50,449	53,665	52,037
1958-59	65,261	66,993	75,537	71,263	69,650	55,038	55,136	50,380	49,910	52,660
1959-60	68,303	71,939	80,126	73,154	73,311	50,215	51,085	45,889	50,033	49,289

† Viz., Australia and New Zealand Bank; Bank of Adelaide; Bank of New South Wales; Commercial Bank of Australia; Commercial Banking Co. of Sydney; English, Scottish and Australian Bank; and National Bank of Australasia.

No. 14—Real Estate Transactions

(Registrations at Land Titles Office)

Period	Transfers		Mortgages		Discharges of Mortgages
	No.	£	No.	£	No.
1955-56	18,704	27,644,069	12,627	24,646,197	9,569
1956-57	18,010	27,998,808	13,600	24,695,090	10,566
1957-58	19,915	34,565,194	15,411	29,408,045	11,695
1958-59	19,165	32,648,582	14,942	29,456,882	11,200
1959-60	21,977	40,236,165	16,528	37,074,495	12,884
1959-60—					
September Quarter	5,588	8,377,135	4,155	8,553,835	3,310
December Quarter	5,383	8,968,939	3,957	8,633,256	3,011
March Quarter	5,359	10,926,738	4,046	9,907,014	3,206
June Quarter	5,647	11,963,353	4,370	9,980,390	3,357

III—SHIPPING

No. 15—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels (including Vessels trading only within the State and Vessels calling at more than one Port) entered and cleared at each Western Australian Port during the Twelve Months ended June, 1960

ENTERED

Port	Oversea						Interstate				Local Shipping		Total	
	Via Ports within the State		From Ports outside the State		Via Ports within the State		From Ports outside the State							
	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons		
Fremantle	51	168,686	653	3,941,046	73	203,282	415	2,019,242	81	267,722	1273	6,599,978		
Albany	7	27,264	47	208,770	4	9,320	46	194,338	31	128,016	135	567,708		
Broome	4	8,773	2	4,279	24	37,197	3	2,385	54	78,106	87	130,740		
Bunbury	16	65,730	31	127,623	5	15,724	20	75,154	48	134,312	120	418,543		
Busselton	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2,089	16	31,655	17	33,744
Carnarvon	1	2,247	2	3,936	22	34,520	1	1,656	50	72,932	76	115,291		
Derby	.....	.....	14	28,537	15	25,108	12	18,893	103	83,637	144	156,175
Esperance	2	8,947	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	60,271	17	76,518	30	145,736
Geraldton	2	9,381	40	160,357	6	11,261	.....	.....	51	128,597	99	309,596
Onslow	.....	.....	1	4,815	24	36,962	.....	.....	51	75,166	76	116,943
Point Samson	5	10,528	8	23,118	29	41,257	1	1,144	62	94,356	105	170,403		
Port Hedland	2	4,615	12	18,987	27	40,614	6	8,391	51	72,427	98	145,034		
Wyndham	.....	.....	3	16,746	5	7,241	22	44,662	34	48,738	64	117,387
Yampi	.....	.....	3	5,944	6	29,111	59	325,160	74	52,972	142	413,187

CLEARED

Port	Oversea				Interstate				Local Shipping		Total	
	Via Ports within the State		For Ports outside the State		Via Ports within the State		For Ports outside the State					
	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons	No.	Tons
Fremantle	21	69,891	663	3,758,685	92	207,929	419	2,298,565	77	257,810	1272	6,592,880
Albany	37	160,761	49	215,715	2	7,739	22	80,969	23	88,730	133	553,914
Broome	2	4,279	5	8,586	38	56,680	1	1,134	40	59,223	86	129,902
Bunbury	41	151,352	29	113,080	15	28,789	19	44,637	15	65,229	119	403,087
Busselton	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	5,950	10	19,638	1	1,989	14	27,577
Carnarvon	1	2,032	3	7,513	36	52,832	.....	.....	36	54,300	76	116,677
Derby	4	8,343	2	3,817	36	49,515	5	9,361	97	83,826	144	154,862
Esperance	13	60,103	8	52,868	.....	.....	3	9,873	7	28,520	31	151,364
Geraldton	9	37,813	30	111,809	22	40,925	5	12,967	29	90,879	95	294,393
Onslow	1	2,120	.....	.....	36	54,877	.....	.....	39	60,255	76	117,252
Point Samson	11	29,227	4	9,812	40	60,292	.....	.....	51	73,014	106	172,345
Port Hedland	2	4,218	11	15,712	37	54,707	2	2,368	42	59,861	94	136,866
Wyndham	2	10,665	4	18,063	1	5,433	34	50,174	22	33,051	63	117,386
Yampi	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	14,466	67	360,891	73	45,736	144	421,093

No. 16—Number and Net Tonnage of Vessels entered and cleared at Western Australian Ports, from and to Ports outside the State, during the undermentioned Periods

Year	Inwards		Outwards		Inwards and Outwards	
	Vessels	Tons	Vessels	Tons	Vessels	Tons
1954-55	1,135	6,143,574	1,136	2,271	12,287,951
1955-56	1,246	6,736,309	1,268	2,514	13,512,444
1956-57	1,236	6,506,055	1,244	2,480	13,037,457
1957-58	1,212	6,402,616	1,219	2,431	12,901,697
1958-59	1,277	6,573,838	1,282	2,559	13,180,429
Twelve months ended 30th June, 1960	1,413	7,297,543	1,395	2,808	14,503,780

No. 17—Tonnage of Cargo Discharged and Shipped at Ports within the State during the twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960 and previous Five Years

Port	Discharged						Total Discharged		Shipped						Total Shipped		Total Discharged and Shipped	
	Oversea		Interstate		Coastal				Oversea		Interstate		Coastal					
	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement	Tons Weight	Tons Measurement
Fremantle	3,018,835	119,219	397,871	182,972	31,627	17,120	3,448,333	319,311	1,488,487	70,945	1,104,711	35,822	132,338	48,728	2,725,536	155,495	6,173,869	474,806
Albany	55,781	1,096	1,536	2,631	54,548		111,865	3,727	265,379	11,043	1,549	806			266,928	11,849	378,793	15,576
Broome	124	121			3,400	8,978	3,524	9,099	830				914	2,908	1,744	2,908	5,268	12,007
Bunbury	89,199		2,051		16,800		108,050		221,715	61,976	22,911	20,694			244,626	82,670	352,676	82,670
Busselton																		
Carnarvon	3,308			3	3,961		7,269	3	4,305		5,161	10,743			5,161	10,743	5,161	10,743
Derby					6,660	10,895	6,660	10,895	705			1,212	4,348		8,653	1,212	15,922	1,215
Esperance	2,431		38,786	770			41,217	770	10,792		2,741	466	2,297	4,194	5,743	4,660	12,403	15,555
Geraldton	47,241		6,664	2	43,749		97,654	2	230,184	1,334	1,377	796	2		12,171	796	53,388	1,566
Onslow					6,180	470	6,180	470			24,162	896			255,216	2,230	352,870	2,232
Point Samson	2,661	35			1,505	5,460	4,166	5,495	6,140				2,717	102	2,717	102	8,897	572
Port Hedland					5,000	12,764	5,000	12,764	45,020						18,801	6,290		
Wyndham	1,995		64		4,788	11,434	6,847	11,434	5,987		5,266			3,008	60,847	3,008	65,847	15,772
Yampi			2,394	20	1,728	97	4,122	117			772,475			2,239	4,668	8,226	4,668	15,073
															772,738		776,860	117
Total	3,221,575	120,471	449,366	186,398	179,946	67,218	3,850,887	374,087	2,279,544	145,298	1,940,353	71,435	165,044	64,403	4,384,941	281,136	8,235,828	655,223
Year ended 30th June—																		
1959	3,084,424	131,007	330,268	174,095	146,398	61,925	3,561,090	367,027	1,733,098	186,011	1,725,189	54,945	156,048	63,287	3,614,335	304,243	7,175,425	671,270
1958	3,087,450	119,690	370,574	204,511	155,963	50,197	3,613,987	374,398	1,610,342	183,391	1,774,047	82,276	142,668	55,585	3,527,057	321,252	7,141,044	695,650
1957	2,817,594	105,980	356,163	156,313	168,563	48,070	3,342,320	310,363	2,052,498	137,699	1,386,718	88,271	157,955	54,333	3,597,171	280,303	6,939,491	590,666
1956	2,705,492	130,338	296,941	216,677	152,015	47,318	3,154,448	394,333	1,174,687	116,051	1,643,162	101,580	160,842	52,407	2,978,691	270,038	6,133,139	664,371
1955	1,757,843	207,466	431,101	238,266	72,163	65,507	2,261,107	511,239	898,366	109,837	874,316	99,390	76,800	66,223	1,849,482	275,450	4,110,589	786,689

IV—TRADE

No. 18—Value of Imports into Western Australia showing origin, and value per head of mean population

Country of Origin	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60
	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	17,608,993	12,198,895	12,942,584	13,602,931	12,128,917
Other Australian States (a)	88,975,963	94,339,914	97,551,686	101,214,984	123,347,757
New Zealand	64,631	130,286	126,707	186,111	143,391
Other British Commonwealth	5,192,406	5,586,553	5,779,574	6,895,479	6,895,632
Total, British Commonwealth	111,841,993	112,255,648	116,400,551	121,899,505	142,515,697
Foreign Countries	23,605,386	22,269,718	27,008,416	24,273,118	26,980,536
Origin not Stated	10,286	26,114	30,437	28,325	34,881
Grand Total	135,457,665	134,551,480	143,439,404	146,200,948	169,531,114
Value of Imports per head of Mean Population	202.466	196.564	205.329	203.387	233.799

(a) Includes value of oversea origin goods, imported via other States of the Commonwealth.

No. 19—Value of Exports from Western Australia showing destination and value per head of mean population

Exports to—	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60
	£	£	£	£	£
United Kingdom	28,007,183	(a) 34,069,810	(a) 24,998,757	27,074,853	34,537,502
Other Australian States	34,232,768	40,772,447	39,918,016	34,459,448	38,638,754
New Zealand	1,991,577	3,920,623	4,576,770	3,206,926	3,202,965
Other British Commonwealth	9,480,470	24,075,724	17,633,629	17,893,690	18,028,156
Total, British Commonwealth	73,711,998	102,838,604	87,127,172	82,724,917	94,497,377
Foreign Countries	36,663,769	(a) 46,233,248	(a) 40,822,041	37,169,403	57,555,724
Destination not Stated			1,726,554	1,857,487	2,213,451
Ships' Stores	5,296,031	6,451,005	5,800,902	4,741,121	4,476,925
Grand Total	115,671,798	(a) 155,522,857	(a) 135,476,669	126,492,923	158,743,477
Value of Exports per head of Mean Population	172.892	227.201	193.940	175.971	218.922

(a) Beef and Products exported during 1956-57 not recorded until 1957-58 :—

To United Kingdom £473,014 ; Belgium-Luxemburg, £31,436 ; Total £504,450.

No. 20—Value of Interstate Trade with each of the other Australian States

State	Year ended 30th June, 1959		Year ended 30th June, 1960	
	Imports	Exports (a)	Imports	Exports (a)
	£	£	£	£
New South Wales	39,165,578	8,796,917	49,937,714	8,745,182
Victoria	45,512,355	10,424,869	54,067,002	12,314,949
Queensland	3,781,122	800,041	3,518,674	1,442,011
South Australia	10,720,247	13,036,770	13,677,939	14,703,796
Tasmania	1,630,604	301,346	1,748,673	389,033
Northern Territory	405,078	1,099,505	397,755	1,043,783
Total	101,214,984	34,459,448	123,347,757	38,638,754

(a) Exclusive of Ships' Stores.

No. 21—Value, according to Classes, of Imports into Western Australia

Class No.	Name of Class	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60
		£	£	£	£	£
I	Foodstuffs of Animal Origin	3,092,586	3,144,562	3,829,183	3,989,565	4,125,036
II	Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin	8,721,698	9,695,108	9,049,624	9,976,799	10,507,204
III	Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors	947,257	913,560	831,516	912,080	1,184,527
IV	Tobacco, Cigarettes, Cigars and Snuff	2,676,656	3,139,069	2,795,679	3,551,008	3,796,912
V	Live Animals	560,395	586,285	1,020,360	774,757	753,339
VI	Animal Substances not Foodstuffs	536,345	1,340,738	892,865	564,714	870,100
VII	Vegetable Substances and Fibres	549,374	721,551	631,960	537,582	659,286
VIII A	Yarns and Manufactured Fibres	1,474,242	1,984,394	1,821,367	1,562,666	1,603,668
VIII B	Textiles	6,597,073	6,210,936	6,462,062	6,313,217	7,262,849
VIII C	Apparel	10,235,256	11,524,788	11,170,426	11,504,578	14,101,930
IX	Oils, Fats and Waxes	18,305,200	19,228,485	21,737,044	20,485,198	21,503,775
X	Pigments, Paints and Varnishes	1,467,067	1,481,927	1,487,653	1,413,903	1,344,840
XI	Rocks and Minerals (including Ores and Concentrates)	1,447,316	1,399,989	1,453,502	1,236,593	1,228,965
XII A	Metals and Metal Manufactures	28,907,503	26,368,829	31,614,784	29,976,529	37,978,151
XII B	Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Appliances	5,724,473	5,471,590	5,215,233	5,579,001	10,532,746
XII C	Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)	17,298,585	14,110,536	15,606,056	16,402,284	20,227,210
XIII A	Rubber and Rubber Manufactures	3,955,443	3,464,222	3,447,760	3,756,076	3,874,186
XIII B	Leather and Leather Manufactures	363,905	398,349	385,187	364,856	367,472
XIV	Wood and Wicker—Raw and Manufactured	839,581	830,700	873,520	815,382	896,626
XV	Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass, etc.	1,654,993	1,506,806	1,584,163	1,640,538	1,739,670
XVI A	Pulp, Paper and Board	2,320,000	2,407,484	2,546,281	2,739,206	3,088,895
XVI B	Paper Manufactures and Stationery	2,686,901	2,795,034	2,832,659	2,972,681	3,243,407
XVII	Sporting Materials, Toys, Fancy Goods, etc.	1,513,148	1,463,114	1,487,805	1,351,117	1,718,073
XVIII	Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Apparatus	973,259	974,444	1,063,053	1,244,447	1,379,285
XIX	Drugs, Fertilizers and Chemicals	6,759,693	7,412,142	8,332,859	9,499,183	9,607,410
XX	Miscellaneous	5,840,669	5,976,838	5,266,803	7,036,988	5,935,552
XXI	Gold and Silver: Bronze Specie	47	...	...	...	...
	Total Imports	135,457,665	134,551,480	143,439,404	146,200,948	169,531,114

No. 22—Quantity and Value of the Principal Exports from Western Australia and of Ships' Stores

Commodity		1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60
Beef and Veal, Preserved by cold process	Quantity lb. £	16,757,378 1,171,613	(a) 9,099,452 610,557	(a) 24,304,729 1,651,190	23,226,399 2,171,044	29,650,441 3,332,783
Mutton and Lamb, Preserved by cold process	Quantity lb. £	14,556,055 1,077,932	12,761,112 870,612	11,204,637 950,096	21,923,136 1,588,442	19,258,489 1,188,829
Meats, Canned	Quantity lb. £	2,429,887 307,581	1,771,516 208,216	1,364,128 168,814	1,605,368 177,488	1,627,520 173,144
Milk and Cream—Condensed, Concentrated, etc. (excluding Dried)	Quantity lb. £	3,907,225 364,292	4,900,346 371,492	5,420,033 376,534	7,381,444 517,868	997,723 71,222
Butter	Quantity lb. £	561,861 103,221	390,781 77,807	441,050 84,344	392,883 84,791	421,611 91,680
Eggs, in shell	Quantity doz. £	2,213,175 481,595	2,085,420 501,381	2,330,532 489,453	1,893,510 378,900	1,490,336 297,243
Eggs, not in shell	Quantity lb. £	972,384 116,020	1,259,804 155,574	2,410,250 266,705	1,196,220 119,432	651,880 67,840
Honey	Quantity lb. £	3,461,508 209,798	4,414,261 296,691	5,457,811 251,011	5,655,196 259,015	2,990,584 116,096
Crayfish Tails	Quantity lb. £	3,529,076 1,510,756	3,565,789 1,757,138	4,708,161 1,982,535	6,116,632 2,640,650	6,587,608 3,240,122
Wheat	Quantity bush. £	22,773,235 14,429,864	46,796,467 30,645,628	26,643,941 20,430,624	23,503,275 16,556,265	36,713,316 24,720,759
Barley	Quantity bush. £	2,234,429 962,945	2,129,855 1,007,871	1,124,032 634,106	2,589,089 1,380,386	5,640,352 2,419,365
Oats	Quantity bush. £	4,410,314 1,696,372	4,188,097 1,654,283	1,868,496 955,174	9,543,912 3,842,791	6,497,281 2,849,525
Flour	Quantity short ton £	129,421 3,883,012	127,491 3,736,776	111,827 3,453,530	104,509 3,168,561	87,572 2,548,108
Potatoes	Quantity cwt. £	44,773 85,609	152,119 367,908	275,534 416,056	168,848 183,847	189,190 217,857
Tomatoes, Fresh	Quantity cental £	57,713 287,424	35,801 161,689	68,473 133,380	51,239 153,839	36,964 169,952
Other Fresh Vegetables	Quantity lb. £	197,303 1,696,383	306,667 2,299,051	266,818 1,862,482	288,946 1,804,281	345,239 1,218,488
Fruit, Fresh	Quantity lb. £	1,636,905 113,289,040	(a) 2,324,774 108,581,711	(a) 1,949,283 96,452,609	1,744,308 111,130,597	2,382,677 111,103,757
Hides and Skins	Quantity lb. £	28,947,217 16,744,513	35,625,655 18,746,141	28,612,208 18,557,014	23,156,358 21,763,475	29,068,444 27,429,926
Wool { Greasy	Quantity lb. £	6,209,713 502,347	8,129,332 706,285	7,730,971 728,534	6,112,115 406,842	9,910,131 368,596
Wool { Scoured	Quantity lb. £	2,322,309 967,447	2,392,519 992,145	2,573,315 1,005,247	2,342,552 740,384	1,638,465 549,515
Pearls and Shell	Quantity gal. £	332,098,020 16,700,717	335,032,510 18,691,677	435,461,273 24,377,292	396,537,335 21,597,162	427,135,606 23,733,508
Whale Oil	Quantity cwt. £	148,302 719,928	211,169 1,069,889	231,142 1,459,827	211,365 1,082,924	280,124 1,432,562
Petroleum and Shale Oils and Spirit, Refined	Quantity gal. £	472,058 468,127	328,588 324,650	438,624 435,182	589,369 584,430	796,125 800,706
Asbestos, Raw	Quantity ton £	54,590,927 2,799,170	56,146,764 3,107,513	66,872,146 3,747,932	77,561,182 4,207,482	73,611,014 3,880,598
Iron Ore	Quantity sup. ft. £	6,420,786 16,421,690	12,059,597 21,010,984	3,255,698 22,000,736	2,058,944 24,744,308	9,369,203 29,702,460
Timber (b)	Quantity sup. ft. £	110,375,767 5,296,031	(a) 149,071,852 6,451,005	(a) 129,675,767 5,800,902	121,751,807 4,741,121	154,266,552 4,476,925
Gold—Bullion	Quantity lb. £	6,776,366 280,376	446,551 9,444	204,367 490,789	11,006 36,949	504,450
All Other Articles	Quantity lb. £	115,671,798	(a) 155,522,857	(a) 135,476,669	126,492,928	158,743,477

(a) Exports during 1956-57 not recorded until 1957-58 :—

Frozen Beef	lb.	£
Beef Tallow	lb.	£

Cattle Hides, Dry Salted	lb.	£
Beef Offal	lb.	£

(b) Excludes plywood and veneers and small quantities of timber for which superfootage is not recorded.

No. 23 — Wool Exported from Western Australian Ports

Ports	Oversea				Interstate				Total			
	Greasy		Scoured		Greasy		Scoured		Greasy		Scoured	
	bales	lb.	bales	lb.	bales	lb.	bales	lb.	bales	lb.	bales	lb.

Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1959

Fremantle	....	....	....	....	....	310,545	96,297,359	98,301	21,469,631	5,382	1,662,428	1,549	353,259	315,927	97,959,785	99,850	21,822,890
Albany	....	....	....	....	....	34,835	10,652,993	....	....	8	2,448	....	....	34,843	10,655,441	....	....
Broome	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bunbury	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Carnarvon	....	....	....	....	....	1,754	635,413	....	....	....	....	....	....	1,754	635,413	....	....
Derby	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Geraldton	....	....	....	....	....	3,189	1,046,877	....	....	....	....	....	....	3,189	1,046,877	....	....
Onslow	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Point Samson	....	....	....	....	....	169	61,916	....	....	....	....	....	....	169	61,916	....	....
Port Hedland	....	....	....	....	....	657	233,809	....	....	....	....	....	....	657	233,809	....	....
Wyndham	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Other than by Sea	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	1,784	575,856	123	26,774	1,784	575,856	123	26,774
Total	....	Quantity	....	....	....	351,149	108928365	98,301	21,469,631	7,174	2,240,732	1,672	380,033	358,323	111169097	99,973	21,849,664
		Value	....	£	....	22,654,396		6,029,909		521,711		100,931		23,176,107		6,130,840	

Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960

Fremantle	....	....	....	....	....	311,426	95,756,011	121,258	26,730,619	6,151	1,851,935	2,748	625,461	317,577	97,607,946	124,006	27,356,080
Albany	....	....	....	....	....	33,254	10,412,470	....	....	650	218,259	....	....	33,904	10,630,729	....	....
Broome	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Bunbury	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Carnarvon	....	....	....	....	....	764	305,000	....	....	....	....	....	....	764	305,000	....	....
Derby	....	....	....	....	....	882	320,016	....	....	....	....	....	....	882	320,016	....	....
Geraldton	....	....	....	....	....	1,804	593,075	....	....	....	....	....	....	1,804	593,075	....	....
Onslow	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Point Samson	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Port Hedland	....	....	....	....	....	1,394	472,966	....	....	....	....	....	....	1,394	472,966	....	....
Wyndham	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Other than by Sea	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	3,723	1,174,025	39	8,654	3,723	1,174,025	39	8,654
Total	....	{	Quantity	....	....	349,524	107,859,538	121,258	26,730,619	10,524	3,244,219	2,787	634,115	360,048	111,103,757	124,045	27,364,734
	Value		....	£	28,207,050	9,676,764	861,394	213,943	29,068,444	9,890,707							

No. 24—Summary of Exports (†) during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
					£	£	£
<i>Class I—Foodstuffs of Animal Origin</i>							
<i>Meats, Poultry and Game—</i>							
<i>Preserved by Cold Process—</i>							
Beef and Veal	lb.	29,117,763	532,678	29,650,441	3,254,464	78,319	3,332,783
Lamb	lb.	6,242,595	322,362	6,564,957	416,663	28,078	444,741
Mutton	lb.	12,534,399	159,133	12,693,532	732,437	11,651	744,088
Pork	lb.	190,612	2,427,366	2,617,978	34,864	441,545	476,409
Poultry	lb.	33,002	466,485	499,487	7,794	107,166	114,960
Rabbit	lb.	252,384	25,463	277,847	35,263	3,563	38,826
Other	lb.	4,919,200	459,227	5,378,427	467,803	17,327	485,130
Preserved in Containers	lb.	1,541,654	85,866	1,627,520	157,369	15,775	173,144
Bacon and Hams	lb.	39,160	397,350	436,510	9,305	86,308	95,613
Sausage Casings, Natural .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	79,398	71,465	150,863
Otherwise prepared	lb.	76,237	282,690	358,927	6,966	40,281	47,247
<i>Milk Condensed and Concentrated</i>							
(not dried)	lb.	997,723	.....	997,723	71,222	.....	71,222
Butter	lb.	116,082	305,429	421,511	22,340	69,240	91,580
Eggs in Shell	doz.	1,428,086	62,250	1,490,336	280,913	16,330	297,243
Eggs not in Shell	lb.	651,880	.....	651,880	67,840	.....	67,840
Honey	lb.	2,989,073	1,511	2,990,584	115,976	120	116,096
<i>Fish—</i>							
<i>Preserved by Cold Process :</i>							
Crayfish Tails	lb.	6,517,769	69,839	6,587,608	3,221,530	18,592	3,240,122
Other Fish	lb.	440,315	225,064	665,379	162,457	45,026	207,483
Preserved in Containers	lb.	41,536	1,597,178	1,638,714	16,443	173,947	190,390
Other	lb.	110,432	11,010	121,442	15,238	1,250	16,488
Meat Meal for Animals (includes Whale Meal)	cental	272,586	1,823	274,409	116,201	4,618	120,819
Other Foodstuffs of Animal Origin .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	217,476	22,849	240,325
Total, Class I .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,509,962	1,253,450	10,763,412
<i>Class II—Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin</i>							
Wheat	bush.	36,710,202	3,114	36,713,316	24,717,811	2,948	24,720,759
Barley	bush.	5,640,186	166	5,640,352	2,419,208	157	2,419,365
Oats	bush.	6,492,864	4,417	6,497,281	2,846,631	2,894	2,849,525
Flour (Plain, White)	cental	1,730,549	20,889	1,751,438	2,511,352	36,756	2,548,108
Malt	lb.	.....	1,766,416	1,766,416	.....	52,704	52,704
<i>Fresh Vegetables—</i>							
Onions	cwt.	3,596	41,808	45,404	4,975	107,115	112,090
Potatoes	cwt.	33,001	156,189	189,190	46,149	171,708	217,857
Tomatoes	cental	5,892	31,072	36,964	25,809	144,143	169,952
Beans	lb.	(a)	1,866,786	(a)	(a)	93,353	(a)
Other .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	135,192	4,604	139,796
<i>Fresh Fruits—</i>							
Apples	bush.	624,517	1,194	625,711	949,180	2,353	951,533
Grapes	cental	19,600	.....	19,600	179,288	.....	179,288
Other .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	86,428	1,239	87,667
<i>Dried Fruits—</i>							
Currants	lb.	820,960	25,576	846,536	45,497	3,408	48,905
Other	lb.	62	18,395	18,457	8	2,783	2,791
<i>Fruit Juices (including Tomato) and</i>							
Fruit Syrups	gal.	37,865	51,035	88,900	18,687	47,148	65,835
Confectionery	lb.	94,890	2,391,593	2,486,483	10,428	342,946	353,374
<i>Fodders and Cereal By-products for</i>							
Animals .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	108,690	23,758	132,448
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	221,162	96,585	317,747
Total, Class II .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	34,326,495	1,136,602	35,463,097
<i>Class III—Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors</i>							
Ale, Beer, Porter, Cider and Perry	gal.	66,264	2,466	68,730	23,249	2,235	25,484
Wine	gal.	89	11,695	11,784	138	11,333	11,471
Distilled Spirit Beverages	pf. gal.	132	2,056	2,188	520	14,219	14,739
Total, Class III .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23,907	27,787	51,694
<i>Class IV—Tobacco, Cigarettes, Cigars and Snuff</i>							
<i>Tobacco—</i>							
Unmanufactured	lb.	.....	1,165,072	1,165,072	.....	577,529	577,529
Manufactured	lb.	14,480	8,009	22,489	5,164	13,263	18,427
Cigarettes	lb.	231	9,542	9,773	143	23,223	23,366
Cigars	lb.	6	1,896	1,902	25	5,433	5,458
Snuff	lb.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, Class IV .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,332	619,448	624,780
<i>Class V—Live Animals</i>							
Cattle	No.	2,870	2,632	5,502	100,343	62,077	162,420
Pigs	No.	500	2	502	12,245	258	12,503
Sheep	No.	147,081	5	147,086	421,905	836	422,741
Other Animals .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28,535	2,130	30,665
Total, Class V .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	563,028	65,301	628,329

(†) Excluding Ships' Stores. (a) Not recorded separately.

No. 24—Summary of Exports (†) during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
<i>Class VI—Animal Substances (Mainly Unmanufactured), not Foodstuffs</i>					£	£	£
<i>Hides and Skins—</i>							
Kangaroo	lb.	1,293	61,720	63,013	313	15,886	16,199
Rabbit	lb.	.....	49,251	49,251	.....	9,561	9,561
Cattle and Calf	lb.	769,551	3,687,060	4,456,611	68,221	438,745	506,966
Sheep and Lamb	lb.	12,718,347	76,892	12,795,239	61,841,174	5,282	1,846,456b
Other Hides and Skins	lb.	15,422	29,735	45,157	(c)2,062	(d)1,433	(e)3,495
<i>Wool—</i>							
Greasy	lb.	107859538	3,244,219	111103757	28,207,050	861,394	29,068,444
Scoured and Carbonized	lb.	26,795,811	634,115	27,429,926	9,696,188	213,943	9,910,131
Tops	lb.	5,655,920	.....	5,655,920	3,081,816	.....	3,081,816
Noils and Wastes	lb.	683,877	72,907	756,784	196,157	5,088	201,245
Pearlshell	cwt.	12,535	.....	12,535	353,657	.....	353,657
Other Animal Substances .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,905	11,702	24,607
Total, Class VI .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	43,459,543	1,563,034	45,022,577
<i>Class VII—Vegetable Substances and Fibres, Cork and Manufactures and Synthetic Fibres</i>							
Clover Seed	lb.	2,100	1,234,253	1,236,353	267	79,754	80,021
Flax Fibre	cwt.	(a)	4,495	(a)	(a)	70,623	(a)
Tanning Substances	cwt.	127,009	10,500	137,509	332,369	34,237	366,606
Other Substances .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,090	282,724	285,814
Total, Class VII .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	335,726	467,338	803,064
<i>Class VIII (A)—Yarns and Manufactured Fibres</i>					14,633	45,316	59,949
<i>Class VIII (B)—Textiles</i>					4,229	435,529	439,758
<i>Class VIII (C)—Apparel</i>							
Apparel (except Headwear, Footwear, Furs, Corsetry and Gloves) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	679	419,694	420,373
Headwear .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	154	43,986	44,140
Footwear .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,007	287,701	294,708
Other Apparel and Attire .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,047	7,273	10,320
Total, Class VIII (C) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,887	758,654	769,541
<i>Class IX—Oils, Fats and Waxes</i>							
Edible Tallow, Lard and Dripping	cwt.	18,922	7,509	26,431	70,586	33,863	104,449
Inedible Tallow	cwt.	127,099	3,342	130,441	429,183	8,867	438,050
Whale Oil	gal.	1,626,474	11,991	1,638,465	545,050	4,465	549,515
Petroleum Oils and Spirits—							
Petroleum Spirits	gal.	25,287,571	118733701	144021272	1,688,817	8,226,373	9,915,190
Kerosene and the like	gal.	22,417,172	12,235,144	34,652,316	1,280,037	773,903	2,053,940
Solar and Light Diesel Oils	gal.	58,930,123	16,310,252	75,240,380	3,722,625	1,008,827	4,731,452
Furnace, Heavy Diesel and Other Fuel Oils	gal.	39,521,264	133647190	173168454	1,819,525	5,191,240	7,010,765
Other Petroleum Oils and Spirits	gal.	33,815	19,369	53,184	14,402	7,759	22,161
Other Oils, Fats and Waxes	gal.	1,479,395	148,789	1,628,184	79,636	33,924	113,560
Total, Class IX .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,649,861	15,289,221	24,939,082
<i>Class X—Pigments, Paints and Varnishes</i>							
Iron Oxide Pigments	cwt.	.....	2,831	2,831	.....	2,874	2,874
Paints, Varnishes and Related Products .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,965	62,616	72,581
Other .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	94	3,123	3,217
Total, Class X .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,059	68,613	78,672
<i>Class XI—Rocks, Minerals (including Ores and Concentrates) and Hydrocarbons in Solid or Semi-solid Form</i>							
<i>Non-Metallic Rocks and Minerals—</i>							
<i>Asbestos, Crude and Fibre—</i>							
Chrysotile	cwt.	1,440	11,213	12,653	4,410	14,805	19,215
Crocidolite	cwt.	202,522	64,949	267,471	1,047,924	365,423	1,413,347
Gypsum	cwt.	289,018	.....	289,018	43,068	.....	43,068
Talc	cwt.	33,143	29,060	62,203	25,327	24,429	49,756
Other	cwt.	2,543	10,073	12,616	4,775	11,264	16,039
<i>Metallic Minerals—</i>							
Iron	ton	13,854	782,271	796,125	24,993	775,713	800,706
Manganese	ton	43,068	25,966	69,034	697,370	320,696	1,018,066
Beryllium	cwt.	400	.....	400	3,600	.....	3,600
Copper	cwt.	41,006	46,755	87,761	118,818	133,812	252,630
Lead (including Silver-lead) and Zinc	cwt.	47,667	.....	47,667	122,699	.....	122,699
Tin	cwt.	.....	7,102	7,102	.....	207,270	207,270
Ilmenite	ton	65,883	22,895	88,778	232,849	123,705	356,554
Gold	cwt.	.....	662	662	.....	13,594	13,594
Other .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	105,674	32,759	138,433
Total, Class XI .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,431,507	2,023,470	4,454,977

† Excluding Ship's Stores. (a) Not recorded separately. (b) Includes £6,449 for which a quantity is not recorded. (c) Includes £720 for which a quantity is not recorded. (d) Includes £64 for which a quantity is not recorded. (e) Includes £784 for which a quantity is not recorded.

No. 24—Summary of Exports (†) during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
<i>Class XII (A)—Metal and Metal Manufactures (except Electrical Appliances and Machinery)</i>					£	£	£
Iron and Steel	cwt.	1,014,969	1,829,700	2,844,669	41,497,861	44,101,279	45,599,140
Scrap Metal—							
Ferrous	cwt.	518,785	35,764	554,549	459,442	22,518	481,960
Non-ferrous	cwt.	15,413	55,299	70,712	107,182	273,878	381,060
Kitchenware and Cooking Utensils					2,995	290,553	293,548
Other Metals and Metal Manufactures					635,132	794,365	1,429,497
Total, Class XII (A)					2,702,612	5,482,593	8,185,205
<i>Class XII (B)—Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances and Equipment not being Machinery</i>							
Generators and Motors					1,888	251,610	253,498
Other Electrical Machinery and Equipment					30,893	155,348	186,241
Total, Class XII (B)					32,781	406,958	439,739
<i>Class XII (C)—Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)</i>							
Stationary Engines (Internal Combustion)					11,729	449,449	461,178
Tractors and Parts	No.	1	1,315	1,316	29,442	2,413,271	2,442,713
Agricultural					8,337	112,310	120,647
Earthworking and Mining					37,405	202,511	239,916
Woodworking					415	49,711	50,126
Other Machinery					63,119	1,851,030	1,914,149
Total, Class XII (C)					150,447	5,078,282	5,228,729
<i>Class XIII (A)—Rubber and Rubber Manufactures (except Apparel)</i>					8,454	46,179	54,633
<i>Class XIII (B)—Leather, Leather Manufactures and Leather Substitutes (except Apparel)</i>							
Leather					144,231	152,440	296,671
Manufactures of Leather, N.E.I. (f)					72	7,763	7,825
Total, Class XIII (B)					144,303	160,193	304,496
<i>Class XIV—Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured</i>							
Sleepers	sup. ft.	26,738,233	6,740,480	33,478,713	1,470,253	319,629	1,789,882
Other Timber (excluding Plywood and Veneers)	sup. ft.	8,321,225	31,811,076	40,132,301	506,477	1,584,239	2,090,716
Wood Manufactures					7,964	293,325	301,289
Total, Class XIV					1,984,694	2,197,193	4,181,887
<i>Class XV—Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware</i>							
Constructional Cements	cwt.	6,434	16,523	22,957	3,882	10,492	14,374
Crockery and Householdware (except Glass and Sanitary and Lavatory Articles)					355	141,020	141,375
Other Products					17,801	56,189	73,990
Total, Class XV					22,038	207,701	229,739
<i>Class XVI (A)—Pulp, Paper and Board</i>					15,541	32,852	48,393
<i>Class XVI (B)—Paper Manufactures and Stationery</i>							
Stationery					4,896	112,988	117,884
Other Manufactures					29,084	73,584	102,668
Total, Class XVI (B)					33,980	191,572	225,552
<i>Class XVII—Sporting Material, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces</i>					18,020	38,378	56,398
<i>Class XVIII—Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, N.E.I.</i>					42,408	28,259	70,667

† Excluding Ships' Stores. (f) N.E.I. denotes "Not Elsewhere Included." (g) Includes £12,003 for which a quantity is not recorded. (h) Includes £210,858 for which a quantity is not recorded. (j) Includes £222,861 for which a quantity is not recorded.

No. 24—Summary of Exports (†) during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
					£	£	£
<i>Class XIX—Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers</i>							
Flavouring Essences	1,237	30,134	31,371
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations	6,559	117,438	123,997
Essential Oils	24,617	39,288	63,905
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations (except Soap)	74,604	20,775	95,379
Insecticides; Disinfectants, Washes and Dips; Weed, Scrub and Tree Killers	2,097	22,470	24,567
Other Products	40,208	165,073	205,281
Total, Class XIX	149,322	395,178	544,500
<i>Class XX—Miscellaneous</i>							
Brushware	289	35,282	35,571
Stoppers for Bottles	104,224	104,224
Other Products	606,662	421,547	1,028,209
Total, Class XX	606,951	561,053	1,168,004
<i>Class XXI—Gold and Silver Bullion and Specie; Bronze Specie</i>							
Gold—Bar, Ingot and Sheet	fine oz.	839,349	.....	839,349	9,369,203	.....	9,369,203
Silver—Bar, Dust, Ingot and Sheet	fine oz.	.....	143,988	143,988	.....	58,600	58,600
Specie—Gold, Silver and Bronze (k)	1,875	.....	1,875
Total, Class XXI	9,371,078	58,600	9,429,678
GRAND TOTAL EXPORTS	115627798	38,638,754	154266552

(†) Excluding Ships' Stores.

(k) Interstate exports not recorded.

No. 25—Exports, being Ships' Stores, during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1930

Commodities	Oversea		Interstate		Total	
	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value	Quantity	Value
Ale and Beer	gal.	162,390	£ 58,060	1,212	£ 711	163,602
Bacon and Ham	lb.	99,196	24,440	48,776	11,528	147,972
Coal	ton	20	275	4,408	39,633	4,428
Fodders for Animals	cwt.	1,233	1,973	.....	.....	1,233
Foodstuffs, Fresh or Preserved by Cold Process—						
Eggs in Shell	doz.	165,715	44,304	13,425	3,524	179,140
Fish	lb.	166,615	41,535	9,899	1,665	43,200
Fruit .....	.....	.....	30,848	.....	2,391	33,239
Meat	lb.	1,432,175	158,853	164,308	18,268	1,596,483
Potatoes	cwt.	20,539	15,660	1,184	2,281	21,723
Other Vegetables .....	.....	.....	57,742	.....	5,358	63,100
Oils and Spirits (Petroleum)—						
Fuel for Aircraft	gal.	14,847	2,362	.....	.....	14,847
Bunker Oil for Ships	gal.	82,897,993	3,305,548	3,516,835	187,633	86,414,833
Other Oils and Spirits	gal.	450,722	66,980	858	267	451,580
Wines and Spirits	gal.	29,663	18,013	100	216	29,763
Other Stores .....	.....	.....	359,134	.....	17,723	376,857
Total Value .....	.....	.....	4,185,727	.....	291,198	4,476,925

(a) Includes £203,742 miscellaneous Ships' Stores valued at less than £50 for any one entry.

No. 26—Summary of Imports during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value				
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total		
Class I—Foodstuffs of Animal Origin									
Meats, Poultry and Game—					£	£	£		
Preserved by Cold Process	lb.	26,880	62,121	89,001	607	8,857	9,464		
Preserved in Containers (excluding									
Pastes and Extracts)	lb.	1,667	1,231,351	1,233,018	450	175,411	175,861		
Sausage Casings, Natural .....	....	....	....	....	22,465	50,338	72,803
Otherwise Prepared	lb.	7,438	162,210	169,648	3,409	47,957	51,366		
Cream, Reduced or Condensed	lb.	(a)	644,306	(a)	(a)	97,096	(a)		
Milk—									
Condensed and Concentrated :									
Sweetened	lb.	504	290,969	7,444,843	217	26,224	968,976		
Unsweetened	lb.		2,445,679			204,167			
Dried or in Powdered Form :									
Fullcream	lb.		4,007,212			683,463			
Skim	lb.		643,840		45,991				
Malted Milk	lb.		56,639		8,914				
Butter	lb.		1,486,963	1,486,963	....	334,179	334,179	
Margarine	lb.		6,304,255	6,304,255		599,126	599,126		
Cheese	lb.	119,457	3,008,603	3,128,060	27,034	546,396	573,430		
Infants' and Invalids' Food—									
Essentially of Milk	lb.	1,460	499,576	2,250,685	395	109,198	432,371		
Strained or Homogenized Foods for									
Infants	lb.		1,039,208			184,466			
Other	lb.		710,441			138,312			
Fish (including Shellfish)—									
Fresh or Preserved by Cold Process	lb.	2,729,892	386,896	3,116,788	201,480	39,281	240,761		
Preserved in Containers	lb.	1,243,295	367,452	1,610,747	185,311	94,315	279,626		
Other	lb.	1,182,475	13,434	1,195,909	90,334	2,054	92,388		
Gelatine, Edible	lb.	10,080	251,609	261,689	1,873	85,642	87,515		
Meat Meal for Animals	cental	100	4,280	4,380	147	8,601	8,748		
Other Foodstuffs of Animal Origin .....	....	....	....	....	1,661	99,665	101,326
Total, Class I .....	....	....	....	....	535,383	3,589,653	4,125,036
Class II—Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin									
Millet	ton	77,477	922	3,658,352	22,155	44,555	321,945		
Rice	cwt.		25,593			105,937			
Macaroni, Vermicelli and Spaghetti—									
Unprepared	lb.		762,265			32,321			
Prepared	lb.	(a)	1,085,859	(a)	(a)	105,271	(a)		
Breakfast Foods—									
Oatmeal, Rolled Oats and Wheat-									
meal	lb.		789,060			29,082			
Other	lb.		1,667,189			243,653			
Biscuits	lb.	77,477	510,250	587,727	13,557	78,599	92,156		
Onions	cwt.	4,320	23,700	28,020	5,242	72,697	77,939		
Potatoes	cwt.	....	2,607	2,607	....	3,767	3,767
Vegetables, Fresh Frozen	cental	5	19,515	19,520	56	104,467	104,523		
Vegetables Preserved in Containers	lb.	113,587	4,177,046	4,290,633	11,598	434,358	445,956		
Bananas	cental	(a)	88,978	(a)	(a)	313,375	(a)		
Dried Fruits—									
Raisins and Currants	lb.	730020	2,055,393	3,658,352	22,155	195,265	321,945		
Other Dried Fruits	lb.		872,939			104,525			
Fruits Preserved in Containers	lb.		9,184,234	9,192,750	618	718,631	719,249		
Jams	lb.		102,051	5,039,568	7,886	369,564	377,450		
Pickles, Chutneys, Olives and Capers	lb.		134,008	638,902	11,533	82,721	94,254		
Sauces	Imp. pt.		17,467	1,378,317	3,566	208,746	212,312		
Nuts, Edible	lb.		1,033,192	1,527,935	83,261	190,576	273,837		
Spices	lb.		127,506	250,230	25,759	74,869	100,628		
Coffee and/or Chicory	lb.		422,260	729,299	50,959	455,970	506,929		
Tea	lb.		4,531,642	255,130	960,483	73,359	1,033,842		
Confectionery—									
Chocolate	lb.		6,007	3,696,434	1,914	937,642	939,556		
Other	lb.		60,229	4,050,191	9,127	638,830	647,957		
Hops	lb.			276,976	....	91,817	91,817	
Soups	lb.		4,442	1,907,828	1,625	328,330	329,955		
Other Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin .....	....	....	....	....	136,896	3,122,042	3,258,938
Total, Class II .....	....	....	....	....	1,346,235	9,160,969	10,507,204
Class III—Spirituuous and Alcoholic Liquors									
Ale, Beer, Cider and Perry	gal.	9,152	36,937	46,089	5,022	29,779	34,801		
Wine	gal.	980	963,225	969,205	2,201	677,786	679,987		
Distilled Spirit Beverages	pf. gal.	54,010	142,773	196,783	158,777	310,962	469,739		
Total, Class III .....	....	....	....	....	166,000	1,018,527	1,184,527

(a) Not recorded separately.

No. 26—Summary of Imports during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—*continued*

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
<i>Class IV—Tobacco, Cigarettes, Cigars and Snuff</i>					£	£	£
Tobacco—							
Unmanufactured	lb.	2,175	....	2,175	916	....	916
Manufactured	lb.	14,386	1,196,466	1,210,852	7,156	959,406	966,562
Cigarettes	lb.	24,082	2,298,462	2,322,544	18,326	2,764,168	2,782,494
Cigars	lb.	932	18,483	19,415	1,169	45,671	46,840
Snuff	lb.	40	25	65	53	47	100
Total, Class IV .....	....	....	....	....	27,620	3,769,292	3,796,912
<i>Class V—Live Animals</i>							
Cattle	No.	....	13,264	13,264	....	385,903	385,903
Pigs	No.	....	49	49	....	12,398	12,398
Sheep	No.	....	57,691	57,691	....	342,949	342,949
Other Live Animals .....	....	....	....	....	1,014	11,075	12,089
Total, Class V .....	....	....	....	....	1,014	752,325	753,339
<i>Class VI—Animal Substances (Mainly Unmanufactured), not Foodstuffs</i>							
Hides and Skins .....	....	....	....	....	....	35,850	35,850
Wool—							
Greasy	lb.	....	3,118,337	3,118,337	....	572,750	572,750
Scoured and Carbonized	lb.	60	104,478	104,538	5	36,931	36,936
Tops	lb.	12,302	303,802	316,104	6,254	181,031	187,285
Pearlshell	cwt.	(a)	1,060	(a)	(a)	28,050	(a)
Other Animal Substances .....	....	....	....	....	4,917	4,312	9,229
Total, Class VI .....	....	....	....	....	11,176	858,924	870,100
<i>Class VII—Vegetable Substances and Fibres, Cork and Synthetic Fibres</i>							
Grass and Field Seeds	lb.	96,369	1,941,057	2,037,426	12,954	111,098	124,052
Fibres—							
Leaf Fibres	cwt.	33,559	(a)	(a)	196,217	(a)	(a)
Kapok	lb.	290,003	....	290,003	19,302	....	19,302
Coir	cwt.	24,281	102	24,383	33,252	310	33,562
Other Vegetable Substances .....	....	....	....	....	160,704	116,111	276,815
Synthetic Fibres and Filaments .....	....	....	....	....	6,905	2,433	9,338
Total, Class VII .....	....	....	....	....	429,334	229,952	659,286
<i>Class VIII (A)—Yarns and Manufactured Fibres</i>							
Wool Yarn (Knitting Wool)	lb.	145	205,980	206,125	652	271,804	272,456
Sewing Cottons and Silks .....	....	....	....	....	81,431	87,097	168,528
Cordage, Rope and Twine .....	....	....	....	....	1,971	127,563	129,534
Wool Packs	doz.	37,782	4	37,786	249,549	21	249,570
Other Bags and Sacks	doz.	582,899	12,513	595,412	692,260	9,924	702,184
Other Yarns and Manufactured Fibres .....	....	....	....	....	35,882	45,514	81,396
Total, Class VIII (A) .....	....	....	....	....	1,061,745	541,923	1,603,668
<i>Class VIII (B)—Textiles</i>							
Blankets, Blanketing, Rugs and Rugging .....	....	....	....	....	19,449	237,445	256,894
Towels and Towelling .....	....	....	....	....	63,662	265,884	329,546
Piecegoods—Other than Felts—							
Canvas and Duck .....	....	....	....	....	48,437	187,422	235,859
Impregnated or Coated, N.E.I. (b)	lb.	....	....	....	16,478	187,506	193,984
Other .....	....	....	....	....	1,911,523	1,949,659	3,861,182
Linoleums .....	....	....	....	....	199,078	261,200	460,878
Carpets and Carpeting .....	....	....	....	....	286,761	629,631	916,392
Bed Linen and Bedspreads .....	....	....	....	....	41,524	268,527	310,051
Handkerchiefs .....	....	....	....	....	18,793	133,576	152,369
Other Textiles and Textile Manufactures .....	....	....	....	....	67,442	518,252	585,694
Total, Class VIII (B) .....	....	....	....	....	2,673,747	4,589,102	7,262,849

(a) Not recorded separately.

(b) N.E.I. denotes "Not Elsewhere Included."

No. 26—Summary of Imports during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value					
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total			
<i>Class VIII (C)—Apparel</i>										
Apparel (except Corsetry, Gloves, Headwear and Footwear)—					£	£	£			
Men's, Youths' and Boys'—										
Hosiery .....	.....	}	.....	.....		299,244	}
Bathing Costumes .....	.....					80,005			
Cardigans, Pullovers and the like .....	.....					373,728			
Shirts and Pyjamas .....	.....					551,703			
Dressing Gowns .....	.....					64,938			
Overcoats and Raincoats .....	.....					88,424			
Underwear .....	.....					437,365			
Overalls .....	.....					168,554			
Shorts, Trousers, Coats, Suits and the like .....	.....					1,454,497			
Other .....	.....					291,218			
Women's, Maids' and Girls'—										
Hosiery					59,110		646,322	}	10061573
Bathing Costumes							160,673		
Cardigans, Pullovers and the like							804,156		
Dresses and Frocks							1,472,127		
Dressing Gowns							120,390		
Overcoats and Raincoats							397,746		
Underwear and Night Attire							1,262,942		
Slacks, Shorts, Jeans and the like							172,801		
Suits and Costumes							207,425		
Skirts							288,636		
Blouses							243,554		
Other							284,494		
Infants' Apparel							131,521		
Corsetry .....	.....			1,219	535,181	536,400			
Gloves .....	.....			15,629	69,791	85,420			
Headwear .....	.....			15,462	278,980	294,442			
Footwear .....	.....			35,529	2,696,630	2,732,159			
Other Apparel and Trimmings....	.....			67,888	324,048	391,936			
Total, Class VIII (C) .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	194,837	13,907,093	14,101,930
<i>Class IX—Oils, Fats and Wares</i>										
Greases and Grease Substitutes	lb.	3,598	1,862,868	1,866,466	929	95,558	96,487			
Vegetable Fats, Edible (except Butter Substitutes)	lb.	.....	1,378,814	1,378,814	.....	165,701	165,701	
Vegetable Oils—										
Coconut	gal.	.....	25,081	25,081	.....	21,512	21,512	
Linseed	gal.	18,259	28,883	47,142	9,889	27,192	37,081			
Olive	gal.	107,537	1,637	109,174	117,054	2,339	119,393			
Peanut	gal.	47,863	20,084	67,947	30,692	24,972	55,664			
Other	gal.	13,238	29,782	43,020	8,278	27,366	35,644			
Petroleum Oils and Spirits—										
Crude Petroleum	gal.	700031182	.....	700031182	17,054,929	.....	17,054,929	
Petroleum Spirits	gal.	18,108,159	432,406	18,540,565	1,023,901	25,281	1,049,182			
Kerosene and the like	gal.	11,929,404	320,632	12,250,036	641,649	25,568	667,217			
Solar and Light Diesel Oils	gal.	5,344,459	11,165,625	16,510,084	278,428	742,643	1,021,071			
Furnace, Heavy Diesel and other Fuel Oils	gal.	1,545,821	2,299,337	3,845,158	43,209	134,174	177,383			
Mineral Lubricating Oils	gal.	3,471,373	901,474	4,372,847	503,040	360,073	863,113			
Other	gal.	334,003	12,369	346,372	29,965	3,063	33,028			
Other Oils, Fats and Waxes .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	57,659	48,711	106,370
Total, Class IX. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,799,622	1,704,153	21,503,775
<i>Class X—Pigments, Paints and Varnishes</i>										
Colour Pigments	cwt.	6,303	14,443	20,746	29,962	142,882	172,844			
Paints—										
Water Paints in Powder Form	cwt.	.....	1,671	1,671	.....	10,817	10,817	
Oil Paints, other than Undercoats	gal.	}	(a)	{	(a)	{	(a)			
Undercoats	gal.							20,397	35,105	
Emulsion Paints	gal.							39,489	79,668	
Other Synthetic Paints and Enamels	gal.							37,432	79,894	
Varnishes and Lacquers	gal.							210,968	426,062	
Other Products .....	.....	1,353	91,294	92,647	2,443	117,184	119,627		
	.....	.....	.....	.....	31,054	389,769	420,823
Total, Class X .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	63,459	1,281,381	1,344,840
<i>Class XI—Rocks, Minerals (including Ores and Concentrates) and Hydrocarbons in Solid or Semi-solid Form</i>										
Coal	ton	.....	53,875	53,875	.....	432,840	432,840	
Coke	ton	290	4,720	5,010	2,811	82,098	84,909			
Asphalt, Bitumen, Tar and Pitch	cwt.	3,388	20,428	23,816	5,847	49,991	55,838			
Asbestos	cwt.	27,281	.....	27,281	97,949	.....	97,949	
Sulphur	ton	43,992	139	44,131	470,843	6,775	477,618			
Other Rocks, Minerals and Hydrocarbons .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40,663	39,148	79,811
Total, Class XI .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	618,113	610,852	1,228,965

(a) Not recorded separately.

No. 26—Summary of Imports during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
					£	£	£
<i>Class XII (A)—Metals and Metal Manufactures (except Electrical Appliances and Machinery)</i>							
Iron and Steel—							
Ingots, Blooms, Slabs, Billets, etc.	cwt.	96	2,782,363	2,782,459	417	4,977,536	4,977,953
Bar, Rod, Angles, Tees, Strip, etc.	cwt.	27,262	319,542	346,804	108,884	722,343	831,227
Plate and Sheet—							
Plain	cwt.	10,370	516,356	526,726	48,392	1,524,602	1,572,994
Galvanized—							
Flat	cwt.	....	110,995	110,995	....	488,219	488,219
Corrugated	cwt.	....	145,152	145,152	....	645,835	645,835
Pipes and Tubes and Fittings therefor .....	....	....	....	....	396,121	1,729,737	2,125,858
Structural (Girders, Beams, Joists, Columns, etc.)	cwt.	36,201	107,599	143,800	98,111	234,363	332,474
Other Iron and Steel	cwt.	33,135	310,283	343,418	137,074	(c) 865,586	(c) 1,002,660
Non-ferrous Metals and Alloys—							
Aluminium and Aluminium Base Alloys	cwt.	308	15,768	16,076	6,011	(d) 493,404	(d) 499,415
Copper and Copper Base Alloys	cwt.	232	24,379	24,611	4,971	583,571	588,542
Other	cwt.	213	33,527	33,740	(e) 9,879	365,466	(e) 375,345
Wire and Manufactures thereof .....	....	....	....	....	133,193	963,839	1,097,032
Metal Furniture .....	....	....	....	....	16,043	253,989	270,032
Cutlery .....	....	....	....	....	78,582	198,519	277,101
Kitchenware and Cooking Utensils .....	....	....	....	....	28,327	305,876	334,203
Heating and Cooking Appliances (except electrical) .....	....	....	....	....	41,104	378,881	419,985
Lamps and Lampware .....	....	....	....	....	52,593	201,749	254,342
Handtools .....	....	....	....	....	211,955	526,490	738,445
Nails, Bolts, Nuts, Screws, Washers and Rivets .....	....	....	....	....	38,812	440,282	479,094
Builders' Hardware, including Plumbing Requisites, Window Frames, Louvres, Baths, Sinks and the like .....	....	....	....	....	59,907	1,483,448	1,543,355
Other Metal Manufactures .....	....	....	....	....	260,950	1,612,623	1,873,573
Motor Vehicles (excluding Motor Cycles) and Parts—							
Complete Vehicles	No.	334	6,358	6,692	234,748	5,796,344	6,031,092
Parts for use as original equipment in the assembly or manufacture of Motor Vehicles .....	....	....	....	....	1,658,553	5,945,103	7,603,656
Replacement Parts and Accessories .....	....	....	....	....	228,572	2,416,413	2,644,985
Other Vehicles and Parts .....	....	....	....	....	638,413	332,321	970,734
Total, Class XII (A) .....	....	....	....	....	4,491,612	33,486,539	37,978,151
<i>Class XII (B)—Dynamo Electrical Machinery and Electrical Appliances and Equipment not being Machinery</i>							
Covered Electrical Cable and Wire .....	....	....	....	....	60,986	964,994	1,025,980
Transformers and Rectifiers .....	....	....	....	....	17,448	76,178	93,626
Batteries .....	....	....	....	....	12,455	748,634	761,089
Electrical Lamps and Tubes .....	....	....	....	....	40,040	129,137	169,177
Wireless (Radio and Television) Equipment—							
Radios and Radiograms	No.	1,469	28,828	30,297	10,318	694,276	704,594
Television Sets	No.	35	36,164	36,199	928	3,743,643	3,744,571
Other Equipment and Parts .....	....	....	....	....	152,523	693,106	845,629
Telephone and Telegraph Equipment .....	....	....	....	....	210,489	538,950	749,439
Heating and Cooking Appliances .....	....	....	....	....	10,288	653,903	664,191
Current Generating Machines .....	....	....	....	....	160,353	82,241	242,594
Electrical Motors .....	....	....	....	....	148,174	177,753	325,927
Other Electrical Equipment .....	....	....	....	....	371,391	834,538	1,205,929
Total, Class XII (B) .....	....	....	....	....	1,195,393	9,337,353	10,532,746
<i>Class XII (C)—Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)</i>							
<i>Internal Combustion Engines—</i>							
Marine	No.	935	227	1,162	192,572	45,006	237,578
Petrol, Kerosene or Light Spirit Types	No.	695	2,023	2,718	194,791	91,741	286,532
Diesel and Other Types	No.	258	458	716	150,618	70,201	220,819
Parts of Internal Combustion Engines .....	....	....	....	....	249,469	312,254	561,723
Tractors	No.	1,676	410	2,086	1,584,017	606,803	2,190,820
Tractor Parts .....	....	....	....	....	694,929	907,357	1,602,286

(c) Includes £95,301 for which a quantity is not recorded.

(d) Includes £82,940 for which a quantity is not recorded.

(e) Includes £388 for which a quantity is not recorded.

No. 26—Summary of Imports during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
					£	£	£
<i>Class XII (C)—Machines and Machinery (except Dynamo Electrical)—continued</i>							
Refrigerators—Household Type	No.	41	9,975	10,016	1,657	1,103,166	1,104,823
Refrigerator Parts and Other Appliances	....	....	....	....	15,303	686,493	701,796
Choppers, Mincers and Other Household Food Preparing Machines	No.	6,107	9,470	15,577	3,817	96,622	100,439
Floor Polishers and Vacuum Cleaners	....	....	....	....	28,698	225,897	254,595
Clothes Washing Machines	No.	152	13,418	13,570	1,616	980,787	982,403
Agricultural Machinery	....	....	....	....	251,569	3,710,656	3,962,225
Lawn Mowers	No.	719	6,396	7,115	20,677	280,218	300,895
Earth Working and Road Making Machinery	....	....	....	....	231,810	806,682	1,038,492
Metal-working Machinery	....	....	....	....	144,194	166,225	310,419
Welding Machines	....	....	....	....	....	77,975	77,975
Sewing Machines and Accessories	....	....	....	....	107,893	345,619	453,512
Cranes, Hoists and Other Lifting Machinery	....	....	....	....	37,404	275,288	312,692
Pumps	....	....	....	....	29,887	388,668	418,555
Roller and Ball Bearings and Parts	....	....	....	....	212,697	162,105	374,802
Mining and Metallurgical Machinery	....	....	....	....	119,139	338,141	457,280
Air Conditioning Machines and Equipment	....	....	....	....	(a)	295,938	(a)
Other Machinery	....	....	....	....	1,642,746	2,337,865	3,980,611
Total, Class XII (C)	....	....	....	....	5,915,503	14,311,707	20,227,210
<i>Class XIII (A)—Rubber and Rubber Manufactures (except Apparel)</i>							
Hose, Rubber and Other (including Plastic)	....	....	....	....	12,867	93,806	106,673
Pneumatic Rubber Tyres and Tubes—Covers	....	....	....	....	150,916	2,149,561	2,925,666
Tyres, Tubeless	....	....	....	....	625,189	225,189	235,572
Tubes	....	....	....	....	9,710	225,862	235,572
Rubber Sheets and Strips	....	....	....	....	2,433	250,388	252,821
Other Rubber Manufactures	....	....	....	....	35,639	317,815	353,454
Total, Class XIII (A)	....	....	....	....	211,565	3,662,621	3,874,186
<i>Class XIII (B)—Leather, Leather Manufactures and Leather Substitutes (except Apparel)</i>							
Leather	....	....	....	....	1,636	175,389	177,025
Belting—Leather, Rubber and Composition	....	....	....	....	25,937	104,651	130,588
Leather Manufactures	....	....	....	....	2,814	57,045	59,859
Total, Class XIII (B)	....	....	....	....	30,387	337,085	367,472
<i>Class XIV—Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured</i>							
Timber	sup. ft.	11,844,646	517,715	12,362,361	409,984	(f) 77,925	(f) 487,909
Veneers and Plywood	sq. ft.	43,574	1,831,368	1,874,942	1,917	112,169	114,086
Furniture	....	....	....	....	11,156	83,298	94,454
Other Wood Manufactures	....	....	....	....	75,943	124,234	200,177
Total, Class XIV	....	....	....	....	499,000	397,626	896,626
<i>Class XV—Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass and Stoneware</i>							
Abrasive Papers and Stones	....	....	....	....	8,514	129,860	138,374
Crockery and Householdware (except Glass, Sanitary and Lavatory Articles)	....	....	....	....	202,477	120,687	323,164
Tiles, Wall and Floor	....	....	....	....	148,627	145,442	294,069
Glass	....	....	....	....	222,767	144,172	366,939
Glassware	....	....	....	....	109,637	209,815	319,452
Other Products	....	....	....	....	75,799	221,873	297,672
Total, Class XV	....	....	....	....	767,821	971,849	1,739,670

(a) Not recorded separately.

(f) Includes £37,337 for which a quantity is not recorded.

No. 26—Summary of Imports during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
<i>Class XVI (A)—Pulp, Paper and Board</i>					£	£	£
<i>Paper—</i>							
Newsprint	ton	11,969	3,361	15,330	722,519	277,826	1,000,345
Printing, N.E.I. (b)	cwt.	8,283	36,084	44,367	46,653	332,351	379,004
Wrapping	cwt.	30,615	73,797	104,412	240,146	557,251	797,397
Other					93,904	385,856	479,760
Paper Boards	cwt.	5,104	70,731	75,835	27,138	365,873	393,011
Paper Pulp and Waste and Wallpaper					39,253	125	39,378
Total, Class XVI (A)					1,169,613	1,919,282	3,088,895
<i>Class XVI (B)—Paper Manufactures and Stationery</i>							
Bags and Other Containers					223	305,002	305,225
Magazines, Periodicals, Music and Printed Books					564,663	743,945	1,308,608
Greeting Cards					3,134	138,681	141,815
Printing and Stencilling Inks	lb.	2,513	607,464	609,977	1,139	72,454	73,593
Stationery					64,708	778,525	843,233
Other Paper Manufactures					36,456	534,477	570,933
Total, Class XVI (B)					670,323	2,573,084	3,243,407
<i>Class XVII—Sporting Material, Toys, Fancy Goods, Jewellery and Timepieces</i>							
Sporting Material					51,897	360,225	412,122
Toys					128,512	355,767	484,279
Smokers' Requisites (other than Tobacco and Matches)					20,975	28,304	49,279
Fancy Goods					23,953	118,902	142,855
Jewellery					26,259	322,016	348,275
Watches and Clocks					68,789	212,474	281,263
Total, Class XVII					320,385	1,397,688	1,718,073
<i>Class XVIII—Optical, Surgical and Scientific Instruments and Appliances and Photographic Goods, N.E.I. (b)</i>							
Cinematographs, Films, Cameras and other Photographic Accessories					86,653	450,263	536,916
Optical Appliances and Ophthalmic Instruments and Appliances					43,330	127,959	171,289
Surgical, Dental and Veterinary Instruments and Materials					121,332	307,977	429,309
Scientific Apparatus and Materials, N.E.I. (b)					137,940	103,831	241,771
Total, Class XVIII					389,255	990,030	1,379,285
<i>Class XIX—Chemicals, Medicinal and Pharmaceutical Products, Essential Oils and Fertilizers</i>							
Acids					13,901	41,182	55,083
Calcium Compounds					25,484	14,264	39,748
Copper Compounds					5,469	17,624	23,093
Sodium Compounds					203,672	249,034	452,706
Alcohols and Spirituous Preparations other than Beverages					12,007	164,524	176,531
Flavouring Essences and Extracts					20,018	133,254	153,272
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations					76,737	2,400,201	2,476,938
Essential Oils	lb.	15,221	291,897	307,118	11,425	62,774	74,199
Dental Powders and Pastes						206,757	
Toilet Preparations					5,939	1,147,128	1,359,824
Soap and Soap Substitutes					28,938	1,357,110	1,386,048
<i>Fertilizers—</i>							
Ammonium Sulphate	cwt.	20	39,605	39,625	85	57,952	58,037
Rock Phosphate	ton	559,329		559,329	1,052,056		1,052,056
Other Fertilizers	cwt.	138,649	47,006	185,655	141,551	100,445	241,996
Cream of Tartar Substitutes	lb.	(a)	102,800	(a)		10,423	(a)
Starch	lb.	70	742,727	742,797	58	51,117	51,175
Glues and Prepared Adhesives					14,064	174,537	188,601
Insecticides, Prepared					12,521	238,044	250,565
Animal Washes and Dips						148,722	148,722
Weed, Scrub and Tree Killers					1,251	41,584	42,835
Salt	cwt.	12,564	43,615	56,179	8,529	45,638	54,167
Other Products					500,516	810,875	1,311,391
Total, Class XIX					2,134,221	7,473,189	9,607,410

(a) Not recorded separately.

(b) N.E.I. denotes "Not Elsewhere Included."

No. 26—Summary of Imports during the Twelve Months ended 30th June, 1960—continued

Commodities	Unit	Quantity			Value		
		Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
					£	£	£
<i>Class XX—Miscellaneous</i>							
Explosives .....	....	....	....	....	12,592	979,830	992,422
Bags, Baskets, Boxes, Cases, Trunks and Wallets .....	....	....	....	....	36,351	301,512	337,863
Brushware .....	....	....	....	....	10,370	228,608	238,978
Dressings and Polishes .....	....	....	....	....	706	237,642	238,348
Gramophones and other Record Playing Devices and Equipment .....	....	....	....	....	5,320	247,783	253,103
Plastic Moulding Materials and Articles of Plastic, N.E.I. (b)—							
Tapes, self-adhesive (including cellulose) .....	....	}	....	....	116,744	111,443	1,274,452
Laminated Plastic Sheets and Boards .....	....					115,227	
Tubing other than hose .....	....					113,612	
Kitchenware .....	....					127,181	
Other Plastic Materials and Manufactures, N.E.I. (b) .....	....					690,245	
Wall and Ceiling Boards, Other than Asbestos	sq. ft.	73,033	6,568,741	6,641,774	4,379	218,012	222,391
All Other Items .....	....	....	....	....	1,273,532	1,104,463	2,377,995
Total, Class XX .....	....	....	....	....	1,459,094	4,475,558	5,935,552
<i>Class XXI—Gold and Silver, Bullion and Specie, Bronze Specie</i> .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
GRAND TOTAL, IMPORTS .....	....	....	....	..	46,183,357	123,347,757	169,531,114

(b) N.E.I. denotes "Not Elsewhere Included."

No. 27—Value of Imports and Exports Oversea and Interstate, at the Ports of Western Australia

Ports, etc.	Year ended 30th June, 1959		Year ended 30th June, 1960					
	Value of Trade		Value of Imports			Value of Exports (b)		
	Imports	Exports (a)	Oversea	Interstate	Total	Oversea	Interstate	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Fremantle } Perth	95,226,023	95,320,154	44,813,952	56,291,470	101,105,422	91,664,279	27,155,290	118,819,569
Albany	1,004,861	6,592,003	420,433	480,295	900,728	8,674,520	234,461	8,908,981
Broome	8,895	439,267	8,978	....	8,978	392,208	....	392,208
Bunbury	505,835	5,755,543	630,026	184,764	814,790	5,729,999	610,785	6,340,784
Busselton	3,909	328,298	....	1,227	1,227	....	415,792	415,792
Carnarvon	57,994	692,808	23,493	....	23,493	407,931	900	408,831
Derby	5	136,090	200	....	200	138,345	61,659	200,004
Esperance	606,513	72,417	....	791,419	791,419	155,115	136,409	291,524
Geraldton	288,082	6,394,770	286,125	3,854	289,979	6,087,273	253,375	6,340,648
Onslow	....	145	....	....	....	....	532	532
Point Samson	....	493,489	....	....	....	771,786	....	771,786
Port Hedland	....	519,677	....	....	....	868,308	68,735	937,043
Wyndham	21,621	826,867	150	762	912	738,034	351	738,385
Yampi	134,112	557,206	....	91,197	91,197	....	822,301	822,301
By Overland (c)	48,348,098	8,364,164	....	65,502,769	65,502,769	....	8,878,164	8,878,164
Total	146,200,948	126,492,928	46,183,357	123,347,757	169,531,114	115,627,798	38,638,754	154,266,552

(a) Including Ships' Stores valued at £4,741,121.

(b) Excluding Ships' Stores valued at £4,476,925—See Table No. 25.

(c) Includes Interstate Imports and Exports by Rail, Road, Air and Parcel Post.

V—CUSTOMS AND EXCISE COLLECTIONS

No. 23—Gross Customs, Excise, and other Collections in Western Australia

Stations	Year ended 30th June, 1959				Year ended 30th June, 1960			
	Customs	Excise	Other	Total	Customs	Excise	Other	Total
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Fremantle } Perth	2,346,860	15,508,443	178,233	18,033,536	2,619,149	16,149,352	201,898	18,970,399
Albany	787	360,232	197	361,216	1,363	304,900	110	306,373
Broome	1,103	....	28	1,131	1,585	....	35	1,620
Bunbury	126	....	34	160	137,413	96,382	55	233,850
Busselton	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Carnarvon	5,727	....	7	5,734	3,264	....	....	3,276
Derby	2	....	1	3	....	....	12	....
Esperance	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Geraldton	4,050	330,548	17	334,615	2,022	266,504	61	268,587
Onslow	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Point Samson	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Port Hedland	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Wyndham	2,000	....	....	2,000	....	....	....	....
Parcel Post	39,574	....	2,847	42,421	42,164	....	4,442	46,006
Total	2,400,229	16,199,223	181,364	18,780,816	2,806,960	16,817,138	206,613	19,830,711

VI—LAND SETTLEMENT

No. 29—Land Settlement on the 30th June, 1960

Particulars	Area	Area
I.—Absolutely Alienated :—	acres	acres
Area sold by public auction or other forms of direct sale or otherwise alienated up to 30th June, 1960	....	27,343,902
II.—In Process of Alienation on 30th June, 1960 :—		
Free Homestead Farms	331,383	
Conditional Purchase	11,102,490	
Selections under the Agricultural Lands Purchase Act	273,192	
Grazing Land	976,062	
Town and Suburban Lots	3,725	
Crown Grants of Reserves	71,955	12,758,807
Total Area alienated or in process of alienation on 30th June, 1960	....	40,102,709
III.—Leases or Licenses in Force on 30th June, 1960 :—		
Issued by Lands Department :		
Pastoral Leases	216,908,871	
Special Leases	4,271,305	
Leases of Reserves	916,246	
Residential Lots	4,595	
Perpetual Leases	1,431,126	
Issued by Mines Department :		
Gold-Mining Leases (a)	18,936	
Mineral Leases (b)	40,337	
Miners' Homestead Leases	33,727	
Issued by Forests Department :		
Timber Permits (c)	4,024,720	227,649,863
IV.—Area Neither Alienated, in Process of Alienation, nor Leased	....	356,836,228
Total Area of Western Australia	....	624,588,800

(a) Exclusive of 494 acres on "Private Property." (b) Exclusive of 2,006 acres on "Private Property."
 (c) Includes Permits for cutting Wandoo for tanning purposes, amounting to 153,014 acres, but excludes Permits and Licenses for cutting timber and firewood in Goldfields areas.

No. 30—Principal Crown Lands Transactions—Area of Crown Lands for which Applications have been approved by the Lands Department

Period	Conditional Alienation					Leases and Licenses			
	Condi- tional Purchases	Selections, Land Purchase Act	Town and Suburban Lots	Miscel- laneous (a)	Total	Pastoral Leases and Licenses	Special Leases	Miscel- laneous Leases	Total
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
1955	798,547	11,672	857	240	811,316	8,431,745	139,827	41,707	8,613,279
1956	704,053	182	328	1,311	705,874	3,523,487	152,217	204,959	3,880,663
1957	932,686	727	507	6,319	940,239	5,218,047	346,254	224,328	5,788,629
1958	796,865	1,255	285	4,051	802,456	3,175,303	536,222	182,740	3,894,265
1959	976,440	2,179	631	1,266	980,516	10,246,253	1,037,882	276,816	11,560,951
1960—									
Mar. Qr.	166,371	718	31	17	167,137	1,585,401	36,840	95,320	1,717,561
June Qr.	144,895	4,037	22	504	149,458	867,407	261,225	47,207	1,175,839

(a) Includes Free Homestead Farms and Reserves.

VII—PRODUCTION

No. 31—Estimated Net Value of Western Australian Production

For Primary Industries, net value of production is derived by deducting all marketing costs and the value of goods used in production (seed, fertilizer, pickling, sprays, dips, fodder, fuel and oil, etc.) from the value realized "at the principal market." For Manufacturing, it is obtained by deducting the value of goods consumed in the process of production (i.e., materials used, fuel, power and light, lubricating oil and water, repairs to plant and buildings, tools replaced and containers and packings) from the selling value "at the factory door."

Year	Agricultural	Pastoral and Trapping (a)	Dairy, Poultry and Bee Farming	Forestry and Fishes	Mining and Quarrying	Total Primary	Manufac- turing
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1949-50	26,604,087	(a)26,638,298	3,325,405	2,599,237	6,696,793	65,863,820	26,044,026
1950-51	33,125,536	61,711,921	3,846,926	3,547,464	8,751,056	111,022,903	34,220,384
1951-52	31,027,295	(a)34,686,482	5,264,576	4,747,879	9,774,976	85,501,208	42,745,325
1952-53	28,977,019	(a)38,872,554	5,460,137	4,841,704	12,409,856	90,561,270	49,191,332
1953-54	28,118,846	(a)44,088,568	5,541,081	5,357,062	13,998,223	97,103,780	55,147,229
1954-55	29,482,564	(a)36,362,351	4,684,931	5,869,453	14,776,032	85,175,331	60,955,829
1955-56	37,350,359	(a)36,733,905	4,884,460	7,102,353	14,142,745	100,213,822	69,732,302
1956-57	24,639,717	(a)47,454,025	4,610,495	7,320,588	14,349,679	98,374,504	73,441,949
1957-58	27,937,976	(a)37,007,272	4,203,465	8,100,744	14,888,801	91,538,258	75,312,250
1958-59	42,746,231	(a)30,628,264	3,549,399	8,617,583	14,453,894	99,995,371	78,762,159

(a) Exclusive of amounts paid as interim distributions of profits under the Wool Disposals Plan, viz., £1,814,739 in 1949-50; £1,814,739 in 1951-52; £1,162,662 in 1952-53; £184,052 in 1953-54; £1,090,230 in 1954-55 and £898,545 in 1955-56. Separate State figures are not available for distributions made in 1956-57, in 1957-58 and in 1958-59.

VIII—GOLD AND COAL MINING STATISTICS

No. 32—Refinery Production of Gold in Western Australia from 1886, and Dividends paid by Gold-Mining Companies

Period	Production of Gold				Dividends Paid by Gold-Mining Companies
	Quantity			Value (b)	
	Refined Outside the State (a)	Refined at Perth Mint	Total		
Prior to 1955	fine ounces *11,564,353	fine ounces *44,930,295	fine ounces *56,494,648	£ 362,145,748	£ 51,599,772
1955	*4,091	*837,914	842,005	13,156,329	2,049,121
1956	2,331	810,049	812,380	12,693,427	2,206,749
1957	2,043	894,638	896,681	14,010,636	2,413,386
1958	1,810	865,378	867,188	13,549,788	2,067,826
1959	*2,322	*864,287	866,609	*13,540,762	2,093,984
From 1886 to 31st December, 1959	*11,576,950	*49,202,561	*60,779,511	*429,096,690	62,430,838
1960—					
January	131	64,664	64,795	1,012,416	37,800
February		66,789	66,789	1,043,584	150,000
March		61,941	61,941	967,833	77,344
April	245	65,128	65,373	1,021,446	....
May		66,682	66,682	1,041,913	456,250
June	646	74,256	74,902	1,170,347	227,500
Total, Six Months ended June	1,022	399,460	400,482	6,257,539	948,894

(a) Comprises gold in ores and concentrates exported. (b) In Australian Currency, excluding additional premiums realized by the Gold Producers' Association, Ltd., on sales of Western Australian Gold, viz.—£539,358 distributed in 1952; £535,330 in 1953; £63,839 in 1954; £19,230 in 1955; £12,154 in 1956; £27,549 in 1957; £5,146 in 1958; and £1,167 in 1959; and also excluding Commonwealth Net Subsidy paid to producers in 1955, £199,129; in 1956, £496,819; in 1957, £512,708; in 1958, £623,394; and in 1959, £652,266. * Revised.

No. 33—Coal Production of Western Australia, from 1898

Period	Annual Production		Monthly Production		
	Quantity	Value (a)	Month	1959	1960
Prior to 1955	tons 24,999,373	£ 27,913,068	January	tons 55,176	tons 54,243
1955	903,792	3,089,311	February	77,897	75,060
1956	830,007	2,723,981	March	74,238	84,666
1957	838,661	2,552,657	April	72,172	58,409
1958	870,882	2,280,649	May	85,520	85,969
1959	911,435	2,356,534	June	87,131	90,826
From 1898 to 31st December, 1959	29,354,150	40,916,200	Six Months' Total	452,134	449,173

(a) Represents value at Pithead.

IX—LIVESTOCK AND WOOL PRODUCTION

No. 34—Number of Livestock and Wool Production

Date	Horses	Cattle			Sheep	Pigs	Year ended 31st March	Wool Production (a)
		Dairy Cattle	Beef Cattle	Total				
31st March—	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		lb.
1956	45,491	223,584	673,313	896,897	14,128,168	99,097	1956	156,454,000
1957	44,660	224,061	733,114	957,175	14,886,549	139,982	1957	156,402,000
1958	43,930	225,651	771,522	997,173	15,723,963	150,783	1958	158,281,000
1959	41,286	215,369	784,463	999,832	16,215,244	115,446	1959	166,522,000
1960	40,740	216,508	813,961	1,030,469	16,411,589	130,933	1960	170,442,000

(a) Comprises shorn wool, dead wool, fellmongered wool and wool on skins exported.

X—AGRICULTURE

No. 35—Land Utilization

Season	Land Cropped, Cleared, etc.					
	Used for Crop (a)	Under Established Pasture	Newly Cleared, prepared for next Season	In Fallow	Other Cleared Land used for Grazing or Resting	Total
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
1950-51	4,532,756	3,589,598	535,483	2,234,854	5,966,058	16,859,349
1951-52	4,507,924	4,011,469	582,004	2,041,470	6,545,139	17,688,006
1952-53	4,636,654	4,206,919	630,110	1,906,785	7,202,797	18,642,765
1953-54	4,477,102	4,527,188	730,291	1,912,794	8,132,113	19,779,488
1954-55	5,042,856	4,747,333	634,744	1,815,095	8,439,051	20,679,129
1955-56	5,293,501	5,384,321	743,565	1,711,361	8,391,593	21,464,341
1956-57	5,139,098	6,055,737	653,317	1,682,291	8,579,474	22,109,917
1957-58	5,510,867	6,425,664	616,412	1,459,894	8,806,806	22,819,643
1958-59	6,015,387	6,960,243	710,207	1,988,440	8,038,696	23,712,973
1959-60	6,382,121	7,358,662	726,382	1,921,417	8,232,097	24,620,679

(a) Excluding Meadow Hay.

No. 36—Areas under various kinds of Crop

Season	Principal Grain Crops			Hay (all kinds)	Po- tatoes	To- bacco	To- matoes	Or- chards	Vine- yards	Other Crops
	Wheat	Oats	Barley							
	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres	acres
1950-51	3 185,389	585,701	59,114	176,990	6,780	967	1,351	22,013	9,258	589 915
1951-52	3,094,536	656,559	56,574	173,855	6,885	1,229	996	21,719	9,358	658,481
1952-53	2,999,475	832,170	106,961	227,082	8,079	1,525	978	21,492	9,233	600,084
1953-54	2,885,114	733,122	209,291	219,171	8,068	1,434	899	21,542	9,202	529,731
1954-55	2,979,151	873,588	259,688	289,329	7,563	1,418	1,037	21,475	9,015	659,195
1955-56	2,889,585	1,090,901	336,966	269,439	6,826	1,235	1,047	21,943	9,107	687,830
1956-57	2,764,486	1,051,486	343,590	242,217	8,558	1,176	1,135	22,040	8,996	771,353
1957-58	2,957,206	1,153,492	307,404	338,983	8,322	1,266	1,007	22,192	9,023	792,804
1958-59	3,291,858	1,329,742	321,493	332,613	7,213	1,444	990	22,903	8,881	793,839
1959-60	3,718,596	1,240,357	421,293	319,486	6,964	1,561	892	23,192	8,951	733,184
1960-61 (a)	3,900,000	1,350,000	550,000	(b) 245,000	....	....	....	....	....	....

(a) Forecast. (b) Wheat and Oats only.

No. 37—Yield of Principal Crops

Season	Principal Grain Crops			Hay (all kinds)	Po- tatoes	To- bacco	To- matoes	Apples	Dried Vine Fruits (Currants, Raisins, etc.)	Wine (a)
	Wheat	Oats	Barley							
	bushels	bushels	bushels	tons	tons	cwt.	tons	bushels	tons	gallons
1950-51	49,900,000	7 913,973	924,741	226,703	43,887	8,677	8,248	1,225,639	2,950	670,667
1951-52	40,000,000	7 689,222	695,085	211,629	49,930	9,638	5,693	1,127,733	2,913	812,214
1952-53	35,458,000	10 439,880	1 742,376	290,296	52,759	9,538	6,672	1,650,634	2,763	730,982
1953-54	39,700,000	9,590,643	2,733,177	293,936	53,708	8,144	6,634	1,170,030	2,543	747,148
1954-55	34,300,000	9,584,559	2,804,706	305,052	43,565	8,959	7,351	1,704,635	2,232	838,797
1955-56	53,250,000	16,515,679	4,653,050	383,784	42,079	6,441	7,812	1,516,291	2,558	811,175
1956-57	32,100,000	10,441,534	3,750,511	288,479	53,741	7,315	8,128	1,687,658	2,196	924,095
1957-58	33,100,000	13,793,026	3,556,041	385,992	49,229	9,202	7,979	1,359,458	2,247	734,874
1958-59	57,650,000	22,585,050	5,410,217	455,160	47,103	10,699	8,379	1,550,341	1,149	672,209
1959-60	58,670,000	19,598,605	6,979,828	433,201	56,000	(b)	7,945	1,150,012	(e) 1,442	e 838,779
1960-61 (c)	63,500,000	22,000,000	9,000,000	(d) 300,000	....	....	....	....	....	....

(a) Includes Distillation Wine.

(b) Not yet available.

(c) Forecast.

(d) Wheat and Oats only.

(e) Preliminary and subject to revision.

No. 38—Average Yield per Acre of Principal Crops

Season	Principal Grain Crops			Hay (all kinds)	Potatoes	Tobacco	Tomatoes	Apples
	Wheat	Oats	Barley					
	bushels	bushels	bushels	tons	tons	cwt.	tons	bushels
1950-51	15.7	13.5	15.6	1.3	6.5	9.0	6.1	108.2
1951-52	12.9	11.7	12.3	1.2	7.3	7.8	5.7	101.8
1952-53	11.8	12.5	16.3	1.3	6.5	6.3	6.8	150.2
1953-54	13.8	13.1	13.1	1.3	6.7	5.7	7.4	105.0
1954-55	11.5	11.0	10.8	1.1	5.8	6.3	7.1	153.1
1955-56	18.4	15.1	13.8	1.4	6.2	5.2	7.5	134.8
1956-57	11.6	9.9	10.9	1.2	6.3	6.2	7.2	150.0
1957-58	11.2	12.0	11.6	1.1	5.9	7.3	7.9	123.4
1958-59	17.5	17.0	16.8	1.4	6.5	7.4	8.5	141.9
1959-60	15.8	15.8	16.6	1.4	8.0	(a)	8.9	106.4
1960-61 (b)	16.3	16.3	16.4	(c) 1.2	....	....	....	....

(a) Not yet available.

(b) Forecast.

(c) Wheat and Oats only.

XI—FACTORY STATISTICS

(Exclusive of Mines)

No. 39—Commodities Produced (a)

Commodity	Unit	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59
Acids—						
Acetic	cwt.	3,975	6,577	6,529	6,941	6,585
Sulphuric	ton	168,660	169,468	175,054	208,355	192,077
Aerated Waters	gal.	4,000,423	4,041,517	3,850,610	4,291,794	4,385,570
Bacon and Ham	lb.	7,427,758	7,237,217	6,839,975	6,612,477	6,619,106
Bark—Ground	ton	808	1,034	1,025	603	961
Bath Heaters—Solid Fuel	number	9,007	6,972	6,128	5,944	5,609
Boots, Shoes and Sandals	pair	556,275	551,871	559,679	538,581	566,970
Boxes—Wooden—Butter	number	31,389	11,567	1,686		
Bran	ton (2,000 lb.)	37,640	41,489	39,178	34,073	32,203
Bread (2 lb. loaf)	number	52,815,251	54,225,609	54,616,630	55,784,603	55,488,058
Bricks (Standard Size)—						
Clay	'000	106,672	96,247	90,542	101,070	93,914
Cement	'000	8,740	3,159	1,973	1,904	1,300
Butter	lb.	16,005,099	16,584,601	16,715,523	15,247,884	13,812,718
Cakes, Pastry, Pies and Puddings	£	891,396	1,008,243	1,030,854	1,027,478	1,059,308
Cases—Fruit (including Shooks)	number	2,659,010	2,761,645	3,325,320	2,163,290	2,254,057
Cheese	lb.	2,426,524	1,708,439	2,647,935	2,277,385	2,644,853
Coats—Sports—Men's	number	7,767	6,288	5,164	3,993	3,611
Coke (Including Coke Breeze)	ton	22,063	25,778	26,769	21,973	19,631
Confectionery (not Chocolate)	lb.	3,824,736	3,623,968	4,083,190	4,321,505	4,775,103
Cordials and Syrups	gal.	263,133	281,258	270,301	288,141	226,350
Custard Powder	lb.	638,435	667,455	688,668	693,588	693,220
Electricity Generated	'000 kWh.	702,272	752,591	781,620	828,765	876,169
Fibrous Plaster Sheets	sq. yd.	2,517,204	2,171,929	1,491,998	1,505,789	1,349,280
Flour—						
Ordinary	ton (2,000 lb.)	165,767	179,362	169,535	148,148	139,702
Self-raising	cwt.	96,043	93,563	90,214	87,607	85,467
Gas (Town)	'000 cub. ft.	1,447,705	1,470,590	1,451,005	1,419,518	1,417,953
Ice	ton	35,399	24,474	18,819	14,426	11,710
Iron—Pig Iron	ton	11,243	12,324	14,080	16,505	24,330
Jelly Crystals	lb.	858,363	1,010,599	977,060	1,040,788	941,118
Leather—All Kinds	£	598,324	562,285	568,323	534,621	538,528
Lime (Quicklime)	ton	25,505	25,649	25,759	27,900	22,983
Mattresses—						
Woven Wire, Link Mesh and Spring (excluding Wire Stretchers)	number	32,924	29,449	28,222	26,923	24,648
Soft Filled	number	41,751	41,285	37,004	37,979	33,782
Inner Spring	number	21,775	23,010	23,716	29,370	33,613
Methanol	gal.	46,237	41,912	22,719	16,997	19,674
Paints and Enamels (Ready Mixed, excluding Water Paints)	gal.	264,483	292,567	299,973	307,846	302,229
Pickles and Chutneys	pint	663,607	454,458	475,287	500,802	469,789
Plaster of Paris	ton	22,485	23,109	17,317	17,900	15,104
Pollard	ton (2,000 lb.)	27,118	29,018	29,274	26,061	24,320
Pyjamas—Woven Fabric—						
Men's and Boys'	doz.	14,673	10,594	11,217	11,243	12,900
Sauce (All types)	pint	654,566	760,127	699,700	753,172	730,498
Shirts (All types)—Men's and Boys'	doz.	50,234	42,190	47,028	52,767	54,125
Sleepers—Sawn	super foot	34,970,889	40,105,277	44,117,436	48,678,963	57,898,422
Slippers	pair	398,590	408,081	373,138	286,176	233,762
Steel, Structural Fabricated	ton	12,178	14,270	14,303	15,644	13,308
Stock and Poultry Foods—						
Meat and Bone Meal	cwt.	143,431	131,910	151,871	173,543	195,762
Suits—Men's—						
3 piece	number	3,816	2,300	1,678	1,069	630
2 piece	number	22,247	20,006	17,811	16,595	14,994
Superphosphate	ton	472,787	463,413	482,049	578,781	529,799
Tallow (Raw and Refined)	cwt.	67,048	96,306	95,774	100,026	126,706
Tiles (Roofing)—Cement	'000	11,082	7,489	5,716	6,792	5,740
Timber (from Local Logs)—						
Sawn (including Sleepers) (b)	'000 sup. ft.	225,795	222,398	204,475	201,664	211,832
Trousers—Men's—						
Sports	number	50,503	48,914	60,118	59,228	59,684
Work	number	147,150	128,489	147,118	156,202	160,206
Tyre Retreads	number	89,837	114,970	128,169	135,726	134,262
Wool—Scoured	lb.	15,930,051	20,905,368	24,348,824	25,811,917	28,199,304

(a) Some major items of production are not available for publication. (b) Includes plywood veneers in terms of super feet. For sleepers, see also specific item.

No. 40—Summary of Factories, according to Industrial Classes, 1958-59

Class of Industry	Factories	Land and Buildings	Plant and Machinery	Workers (a)	Salaries and Wages (b)	Value of Output	Net Production
	No.	£	£	No.	£	£	£
I. Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	126	1,491,427	2,037,290	1,497	1,275,107	6,153,705	3,040,700
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	48	1,251,651	1,094,990	1,415	1,230,023	3,456,842	2,169,382
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oils, and Grease	67	4,834,826	23,645,832	2,668	2,704,417	50,057,522	13,509,618
IV. Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements, and Conveyances	1,754	12,659,113	9,308,926	19,380	15,606,009	48,332,547	24,937,781
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	69	175,446	45,727	224	144,639	365,093	278,872
VI. Textiles and Textile Goods (Inclusive of Knitted Goods)	42	661,560	426,765	926	722,322	4,997,338	1,463,886
VII. Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	30	296,119	198,821	593	500,125	1,858,701	811,902
VIII. Clothing (Except Knitted)	412	1,698,493	597,713	3,317	1,688,769	4,865,859	2,773,016
IX. Food, Drink, and Tobacco	619	8,123,612	6,240,703	6,704	5,347,468	39,191,279	11,348,446
X. Wood-working and Basketware	456	1,826,203	2,405,263	5,722	4,458,013	15,442,541	7,692,233
XI. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	172	798,617	262,982	1,306	888,720	3,407,049	1,502,429
XII. Stationery, Paper, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	124	1,793,976	1,710,698	2,609	2,279,494	7,857,188	4,427,156
XIII. Rubber	41	386,333	248,729	282	214,987	815,664	421,914
XIV. Musical Instruments	8	31,680	2,893	36	24,460	50,591	37,171
XV. Miscellaneous Products	66	350,148	118,810	450	286,785	919,361	517,982
XVI. Heat, Light, and Power	91	4,310,522	17,751,643	1,288	1,360,798	8,431,427	3,829,676
Total, 1958-59	4,125	40,689,726	66,097,735	48,417	38,732,145	193,202,698	78,762,159
Total, 1957-58	3,941	36,845,609	63,840,075	48,462	37,934,939	196,262,633	75,312,250
Total, 1956-57	3,935	35,519,634	63,272,185	48,748	36,916,377	187,636,004	73,441,949
Total, 1955-56	3,871	32,858,951	56,533,675	50,108	37,206,432	175,146,435	69,732,802
Total, 1954-55	3,727	30,229,913	54,958,205	49,314	34,737,831	149,584,445	60,955,829
Total, 1953-54	3,523	24,738,939	28,194,983	47,459	31,590,439	134,586,811	55,147,229
Total, 1952-53	3,424	20,959,603	24,034,814	45,188	28,343,533	119,309,764	49,191,332
Total, 1951-52	3,267	16,747,352	20,715,509	45,097	25,384,517	106,571,588	42,745,325
Total, 1950-51	3,111	13,380,566	14,712,662	43,761	19,657,798	84,431,056	34,220,384
Total, 1949-50	3,023	11,055,002	11,456,767	40,733	15,293,241	63,978,037	26,044,026

(a) Average over the whole year, including Working Proprietors.

(b) Excludes amounts drawn by Working Proprietors.

No. 41—Factory Employment in Age Groups, as at end of June, 1959

(Exclusive of Working Proprietors)

Class of Industry	Under 16 Years	16 Years	17 Years	18 Years	19 Years	20 Years	21 Years and over	Total
I. Treatment of Non-Metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	18	27	24	31	28	26	1,274	1,428
II. Bricks, Pottery, Glass, etc.	9	21	26	27	30	17	1,219	1,349
III. Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paints, Oils, and Grease	21	40	51	33	37	30	2,346	2,558
IV. Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements, and Conveyances	436	520	668	667	620	543	15,006	18,460
V. Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	1	5	6	6	9	9	134	170
VI. Textiles and Textile Goods (Inclusive of Knitted Goods)	34	40	48	45	34	28	686	915
VII. Skins and Leather (not Clothing or Footwear)	18	21	14	12	14	11	506	596
VIII. Clothing (Except Knitted)	201	217	194	162	146	121	1,839	2,880
IX. Food, Drink, and Tobacco	112	163	201	172	156	144	5,050	5,998
X. Wood-working and Basketware	121	102	109	126	145	111	4,581	5,295
XI. Furniture, Bedding, etc.	58	43	57	51	43	53	847	1,152
XII. Stationery, Paper, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	81	100	109	115	123	129	1,880	2,537
XIII. Rubber	6	13	12	12	17	9	206	275
XIV. Musical Instruments	1	4	1	2	.....	1	20	29
XV. Miscellaneous Products	31	18	17	29	10	16	307	428
XVI. Heat, Light, and Power	5	4	6	19	10	18	1,216	1,278
Total All Industries	1,153	1,338	1,543	1,509	1,422	1,266	37,117	45,348

XII—RETAIL PRICES AND HOUSE RENT

No. 42.—Average Retail Prices† of Food and Groceries—Metropolitan Area

Commodity	Unit	1959				1960			
		April	May	June	Quarter ended June	April	May	June	Quarter ended June
<i>Groceries</i>									
Bread (a)	2 lb.	Pence 16-50	Pence 16-50	Pence 16-50	Pence 16-50	Pence 17-00	Pence 17-00	Pence 17-00	Pence 17-00
Flour—plain	"	13-75	13-75	13-75	13-75	13-71	13-71	13-79	13-74
self-raising	"	21-00	21-00	20-70	20-90	22-00	22-00	22-00	22-00
Tea	lb.	77-25	77-25	77-25	77-25	76-70	76-70	76-80	76-73
Sugar	"	10-00	10-00	10-00	10-00	10-00	10-20	11-00	10-40
Rice	"	11-83	11-83	11-83	11-83	11-95	11-95	11-95	11-95
Tapioca, seed	"	15-50	15-50	15-50	15-50	17-26	16-72	15-58	16-52
Jam, plum	1½ lb. tin	35-95	35-30	34-85	35-37	34-00	33-80	33-80	33-87
Golden Syrup	2 lb.	21-10	21-10	21-10	21-10	20-75	20-75	21-70	21-07
Oats, flaked	lb.	12-39	11-38	11-34	11-70	11-70	11-73	11-98	11-80
Raisins, seeded	"	33-41	34-31	34-05	33-92	35-06	34-77	35-08	34-97
Currants	"	26-85	27-44	27-67	27-32	27-56	27-78	27-78	27-71
Apricots, dried	"	70-50	70-67	70-67	70-61	70-33	70-33	70-33	70-33
Peaches, canned	29 oz.	44-60	42-30	41-50	42-80	38-85	38-60	38-75	38-73
Pears, canned	"	40-20	39-65	39-65	39-83	38-65	38-65	38-65	38-65
Potatoes	7 lb.	40-86	40-86	40-86	40-86	40-13	40-13	40-13	40-13
Onions, brown	lb.	7-81	7-81	13-75	9-79	10-63	10-63	10-88	10-71
Soap	"	19-70	19-70	19-73	19-71	19-47	19-47	19-47	19-47
Kerosene	qrt.	13-34	13-34	13-34	13-34	13-40	11-06	11-06	11-84
<i>Dairy Produce</i>									
Butter	lb.	54-80	54-80	54-80	54-80	54-60	54-60	54-60	54-60
Cheese	"	47-30	47-30	47-30	47-30	48-83	49-21	49-21	49-08
Eggs, new laid	doz.	61-18	63-87	66-65	63-90	68-95	68-95	68-95	68-95
Bacon, rashers	lb.	69-67	70-00	71-17	70-28	80-43	80-29	80-29	80-34
Milk, condensed	14 oz. tin	22-60	22-75	22-75	22-70	23-25	23-25	23-25	23-25
Milk, fresh, bottled (a)	qrt.	19-00	19-00	19-00	19-00	21-00	21-00	21-00	21-00
<i>Meat</i>									
Beef (fresh):									
Sirloin	lb.	....	....	....	46-26	....	....	....	50-74
Rib (without bone) .....	"	....	....	....	46-07	....	....	....	51-60
Steak—rump .....	"	....	....	....	62-83	....	....	....	72-83
chuck .....	"	....	....	....	39-63	....	....	....	45-70
Sausages .....	"	....	....	....	23-28	....	....	....	22-98
Beef (corned):									
Silverside .....	"	....	....	....	43-07	....	....	....	48-27
Brisket, rolled .....	"	....	....	....	32-13	....	....	....	35-97
Mutton (fresh):									
Leg .....	"	....	....	....	27-57	....	....	....	29-47
Forequarter .....	"	....	....	....	16-07	....	....	....	17-60
Loin (trimmed) .....	"	....	....	....	24-77	....	....	....	26-90
Chops—loin .....	"	....	....	....	24-77	....	....	....	27-10
leg .....	"	....	....	....	24-97	....	....	....	27-57
Pork (fresh):									
Leg .....	"	....	....	....	57-43	....	....	....	64-52
Loin .....	"	....	....	....	57-53	....	....	....	64-82
Chops .....	"	....	....	....	57-53	....	....	....	64-82

† As at the 15th of the month.

(a) Cash price delivered.

No. 43.—Retail Price Index Numbers—Five Principal Towns

Groups—Food and Groceries, Clothing, Miscellaneous and House Rent

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27 = 1,000)

Town	Food and Groceries		Clothing		Miscellaneous		House Rent	
	June Quarter		June Quarter		June Quarter		June Quarter	
	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960	1959	1960
Metropolitan Area	3078	3262	3413	3506	2344	2387	2211	2324
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	3304	3556	3426	3518	2354	2383	1983	1995
Northam	3131	3279	3400	3507	2217	2270	1916	1936
Bunbury	3085	3278	3388	3480	2197	2235	2435	2495
Geraldton	3329	3568	3468	3571	2525	2557	2695	2816
Weighted Average— 5 Towns	3101	3291	3414	3508	2343	2384	2160	2263

No. 44—Retail Price Index Numbers of Food and Groceries—30 Towns

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27 = 1,000)

Town	1959				1960			
	Quarter ended :				Quarter ended :			
	March	June	September	December	March	June	September	December
Metropolitan Area	3000	3078	3129	3075	3162	3262		
Albany	3043	3063	3130	3127	3148	3227		
Bridgetown	3156	3195	3290	3173	3237	3388		
Bunbury	3059	3085	3140	3078	3126	3278		
Busselton	3059	3079	3144	3103	3166	3268		
Collie	3146	3210	3284	3212	3281	3345		
Coolgardie	3300	3361	3464	3469	3518	3615		
Dalwallinu	3012	3042	3184	3184	3206	3337		
Esperance	3294	3343	3382	3357	3372	3473		
Geraldton	3258	3329	3453	3442	3457	3568		
Greenbushes	3104	3154	3210	3195	3204	3298		
Jarrahdale	3010	3026	3070	3032	3076	3146		
Kalgoorlie-Boulder	3249	3304	3388	3362	3391	3556		
Katanning	3061	3088	3131	3108	3124	3244		
Leonora-Gwalia	3482	3512	3574	3564	3601	3692		
Manjimup	3061	3098	3195	3158	3200	3346		
Meekatharra	3521	3470	3592	3602	3611	3658		
Merredin	3164	3203	3267	3186	3265	3416		
Moora	3164	3177	3261	3198	3206	3371		
Mullewa	3341	3428	3583	3444	3399	3631		
Narembeeen	3160	3286	3407	3318	3331	3498		
Narrogin	3149	3155	3183	3184	3216	3291		
Norseman	3254	3340	3424	3431	3476	3524		
Northam	3088	3131	3195	3129	3145	3279		
Northampton	3175	3179	3350	3338	3329	3383		
Perth	3032	3079	3169	3171	3172	3235		
Southern Cross	3228	3317	3394	3408	3397	3574		
Three Springs	3290	3336	3335	3288	3378	3524		
Wyalkatchem	3195	3221	3338	3247	3289	3330		
Yarloop	3222	3273	3308	3267	3318	3413		

No. 45—Housing (Rents of Four-and Five-roomed Houses)—Five Principal Towns

Variations in the Rents of four-and five-roomed Houses in the five principal Western Australian towns are shown in the following table. The index numbers are based on returns received from house agents for ordinary unfurnished dwellings, in a good state of repair with ordinary conveniences and occupying fair situations.

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27 = 1,000)

Period	Western Australia					
	Metropolitan Area	Kalgoorlie-Boulder	Northam	Bunbury	Geraldton	Weighted Average for Five Towns
1955	1843	1271	1645	1875	2181	1806
1956	1972	1300	1695	2044	2395	1929
1957	2060	1329	1840	2127	2321	2022
1958	2154	1371	1905	2260	2478	2102
1959	2221	1383	1930	2435	2667	2169
Quarters—1960—						
March	2295	1389	1925	2482	2735	2236
June	2324	1395	1936	2495	2816	2263

No. 46—Retail Price Index Numbers ("C" Series)—Five Principal Towns

(Base—Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities for 1923-27 = 1,000)

Period	Western Australia						Australia
	Metropolitan Area	Kalgoorlie-Boulder	Northam	Bunbury	Geraldton	Weighted Average—Five Towns	Weighted Average—Six Capital Cities
1955	2554	2493	2508	2569	2702	2552	2393
1956	2655	2563	2584	2664	2825	2651	2547
1957	2729	2625	2691	2749	2916	2725	2565
1958	2743	2653	2707	2790	2955	2741	2615
1959	2807	2712	2740	2833	3064	2805	2694
Quarters—1960—							
March	2869	2750	2761	2870	3125	2864	2756
June	2924	2817	2819	2935	3194	2920	2838

XIII—WAGES

No. 47—State Basic Wage—Variations in Rates since Inception

Date of Operation	Metropolitan Area (a)		South-West Land Division (b)		Goldfields Areas and other parts of State	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
1926—	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1st July (c)	4 5 0	2 5 11	4 5 0	2 5 11	4 5 0	2 5 11
1929—						
1st July (c)	4 7 0	2 7 0	4 7 0	2 7 0	" (d)	" (d)
1930—						
1st July (c)	4 6 0	2 6 5	4 5 0	2 5 11	"	"
1931—						
3rd March (c)	3 18 0	2 2 2	3 17 0	2 1 8	3 17 0	2 1 8
1st July (c)	"	"	3 16 0	2 1 0	"	"
18th August	"	"	"	"	"	"
5th November	3 13 6	1 19 8	3 14 6	2 0 3	"	"
1932—						
29th February	3 12 0	1 18 11	"	"	"	"
3rd May	"	"	3 13 6	1 19 8	"	"
1st July	"	"	"	"	3 18 0	2 2 2
2nd November	3 10 6	1 18 1	3 12 6	1 19 2	"	"
1933—						
28th February	3 9 0	1 17 3	3 11 0	1 18 4	"	"
16th May	"	"	3 9 6	1 17 6	"	"
1st July	3 8 0	1 16 9	"	"	3 17 6	2 1 10
3rd August	3 9 3	1 17 5	"	"	"	"
1934—						
1st May	"	"	"	"	3 19 3	2 2 10
1st July	3 9 6	1 17 6	3 10 0	1 17 10	3 19 6	2 2 11
1st August	3 11 0	1 18 4	3 11 6	1 18 7	4 2 0	2 4 3
1935—						
24th May	"	"	"	"	4 4 4	2 5 6
1st July	3 10 6	1 18 1	3 11 2	1 18 5	4 5 7	2 6 3
4th November	"	"	"	"	"	"
1936—						
1st July	"	"	"	"	4 6 0	2 6 5
12th August	3 12 0	1 18 11	3 13 0	1 19 5	4 7 0	2 7 0
16th November	3 13 9	1 19 10	3 14 8	2 0 4	"	"
1937—						
1st July	"	"	"	"	"	"
26th July	3 14 11	2 0 5	3 15 10	2 0 11	"	"
1938—						
1st July	4 0 0	2 3 2	4 1 0	2 3 9	4 13 3	2 10 4
29th July	4 1 1	2 3 9	"	"	4 15 2	2 11 5
2nd November	"	"	4 2 2	2 4 4	"	"
1939—						
24th April	4 2 2	2 4 4	"	"	4 16 4	2 12 0
1st July	"	"	4 3 1	2 4 10	"	"
1940—						
1st July	4 2 8	2 4 8	4 3 3	2 4 11	4 16 3	"
31st July	4 5 4	2 6 1	4 5 6	2 6 2	4 18 8	2 13 3
26th October	"	"	4 6 6	2 6 9	5 0 3	2 14 2
1941—						
26th February	4 6 11	2 6 11	4 7 8	2 7 4	5 2 1	2 15 2
28th April	4 8 0	2 7 6	4 9 3	2 8 2	5 3 6	2 15 11
1st July	"	"	"	"	"	"
28th July	4 10 5	2 8 10	4 10 10	2 9 1	5 5 7	2 17 0
1942—						
1st July	"	"	"	"	"	"
8th August (e)	4 14 11	2 11 3	4 14 10	2 11 3	"	"
November (f)	4 17 9	2 12 9	4 17 1	2 12 5	"	"
1943—						
1st March	4 18 9	2 13 4	4 18 1	2 13 0	"	"
1st July	4 19 1	2 13 6	"	"	5 5 9	2 17 1
August (f)	5 1 1	2 14 7	5 0 3	2 14 2	5 7 10	2 18 3
1944—						
28th February	4 19 8	2 13 10	4 19 2	2 13 7	5 6 7	2 17 7
1st July	4 19 11	2 13 11	4 19 8	2 13 10	5 7 1	2 17 10
26th October (g)	"	"	5 0 9	2 14 5	"	"
1945—						
28th February (g)	"	"	4 19 7	2 13 9	"	"
1st July	5 0 1	2 14 1	"	"	5 7 5	2 18 0
1946—						
13th May (g)	5 1 1	2 14 7	"	"	5 9 0	2 18 10
1st July	"	"	5 0 6	2 14 3	"	"
22nd July (g)	5 2 1	2 15 1	5 1 6	2 14 10	"	"
1947—						
4th February (g)	"	"	"	"	5 10 4	2 19 7
26th February (h)	5 7 1	2 17 10	5 6 6	2 17 6	5 15 4	3 2 3
1st July	5 7 10	2 18 3	5 7 3	2 17 11	5 16 0	3 2 8
23rd July	5 9 3	2 19 0	5 8 9	2 18 9	5 17 6	3 3 5
30th October	5 10 9	2 19 10	5 10 6	2 19 8	5 19 0	3 4 3
1948—						
2nd February	5 12 9	3 0 11	5 12 6	3 0 9	6 1 4	3 5 6
26th April	5 15 9	3 2 6	5 15 2	3 2 2	6 4 9	3 7 4
1st July	"	"	"	"	"	"
26th July	5 17 5	3 3 5	5 17 1	3 3 3	6 5 10	3 7 11
1st November	6 1 7	3 5 8	6 1 3	3 5 6	6 9 6	3 9 11

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No. 47—State Basic Wage—Variations in Rates since Inception—continued

Date of Operation	Metropolitan Area (a)		South-West Land Division (b)		Goldfields Areas and other parts of State	
	Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1949—						
9th February	6 4 9	3 7 4	6 4 4	3 7 2	6 12 9	3 11 8
2nd May	6 7 1	3 8 8	6 6 9	3 8 5	6 15 1	3 12 11
1st July	"	"	"	"	"	"
21st July	6 13 2	3 11 11	6 12 11	3 11 9	7 0 5	3 15 10
24th October	6 15 11	3 13 5	6 15 4	3 13 1	7 2 11	3 17 2
1950—						
31st January	6 18 1	3 14 7	6 17 4	3 14 2	7 4 8	3 18 1
1st May	7 0 0	3 15 7	6 19 9	3 15 6	7 7 3	3 19 6
31st July	7 3 6	3 17 6	7 3 3	3 17 4	7 11 6	4 1 10
23rd October	7 6 6	3 19 1	7 6 7	3 19 2	7 14 8	4 3 6
18th December (i)	8 6 6	4 14 1	8 6 7	4 14 2	8 14 8	4 18 6
1951—						
29th January	8 12 11	4 17 9	8 12 11	4 17 9	9 0 5	5 1 9
30th April	9 4 3	5 4 1	9 4 1	5 4 1	9 8 5	5 6 3
23rd July	9 16 8	5 11 1	9 15 9	5 10 8	10 1 6	5 13 8
22nd October	10 5 8	5 16 3	10 4 7	5 15 8	10 10 11	5 18 11
1st December (j)	"	6 13 8	"	6 13 0	"	6 17 1
1952—						
29th January	10 14 1	6 19 2	10 13 8	6 18 11	10 19 8	7 2 9
28th April	11 3 10	7 5 6	11 2 5	7 4 7	11 8 10	7 8 9
28th July	11 12 3	7 11 0	11 12 5	7 11 1	11 18 0	7 14 8
27th October	11 18 6	7 15 0	11 19 2	7 15 6	12 4 2	7 18 9
1953—						
27th January	"	"	12 0 6	7 16 4	12 5 9	7 19 9
27th April	12 " 10	7 17 2	12 3 0	7 17 11	12 7 9	8 1 0
27th July	12 6 6	8 0 3	12 6 0	7 19 11	12 9 4	8 2 1
1955—						
9th August	12 12 5	8 4 1	12 11 8	8 3 7	12 14 1	8 5 2
1956—						
31st January	12 13 8	8 4 11	12 13 11	8 5 0	12 15 11	8 6 4
23rd April	12 17 1	8 7 1	"	"	"	"
23rd July	13 1 6	8 10 0	12 18 10	8 " 3	12 18 10	8 " 3
29th October	13 5 2	8 12 4	13 2 11	8 10 11	13 2 8	8 10 9
1957—						
25th January	13 6 3	8 13 1	13 6 5	8 13 2	13 6 7	8 13 3
26th April	13 8 10	8 14 9	"	"	"	"
19th July	13 12 9	8 17 3	13 " 11	8 15 5	13 " 7 10	8 14 1
28th October	"	"	13 11 5	8 16 5	13 6 7	8 13 3
1958—						
7th February	13 8 6	8 14 6	13 10 1	8 15 7	"	"
28th April	"	"	13 11 2	8 16 3	13 " 0	8 14 2
4th August	13 12 3	8 17 0	13 13 4	8 17 8	13 9 9	8 15 4
27th October	13 13 5	8 17 9	"	"	13 11 6	8 16 6
1959—						
27th April	13 15 1	8 18 10	13 14 6	8 18 5	"	"
27th July	13 18 7	9 1 1	13 17 5	9 0 4	13 13 6	8 17 9
26th October	14 1 6	9 3 0	14 1 3	9 2 10	13 17 4	9 0 3
1960—						
30th January (k)	"	10 11 2	"	10 10 11	"	10 8 0
2nd May	14 6 4	10 14 9	14 3 1	10 12 4	13 18 10	10 9 2
25th July	14 12 3	10 19 2	14 9 2	10 16 11	14 5 11	10 14 5

§ Annual Declaration. (a) Defined for basic wage purposes as the area comprised within a radius of 15 miles from G.P.O., Perth. (b) As defined in the Land Act but excluding the Metropolitan Area. (c) Rates for divisions shown not specifically declared by Court. (See *letterpress in June, 1942, issue*.) (d) Relates to certain specified Goldfields Districts only. (e) Rates declared in Basic Wage Adjustment and Order No. 1 issued under the authority of National Security (Economic Organization) Regulations. (f) Beginning of first pay period. (g) Beginning of next succeeding pay period. (h) Interim Basic Wage declaration authorized under amendment to National Security (Economic Organization) Regulations, operative first pay period after date thereof. (i) Special determination incorporating increase of £1 for males and 15s. for females. (j) Female rate increased to 65 per cent. of male rate as from 1st December, 1951. (k) Female rate increased to 75 per cent. of male rate from beginning of first pay period commencing on or after this date.

No. 48—Minimum Rates of Wages payable to Adult Workers under Awards of Arbitration Authorities and Industrial Agreements, as at 30th June, 1960

Rates relate to the Metropolitan Area except where otherwise stated, and are shown to the nearest farthing

Industry and Occupation	Wages	Industry and Occupation	Wages
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
CLASS I.—TREATMENT OF NON-METALLIFEROUS MINE AND QUARRY PRODUCTS—		CLASS III.—CHEMICALS, DYES, EXPLOSIVES, PAINTS, OILS, GREASE—	
Asbestos-Cement Goods :	Per week		Per week
Sheet Machine driver, Magnani Machine Operator	16 17 4	Oil Storemen :	
Moulder	15 13 4	Weekly Hands	16 19 10
	to	Oil Refinery Workers :	
	16 2 4	Leading Hand Plant Attendant	20 1 7
All others	15 8 10	Plant Attendant Class I.	19 3 7
	to	" " " II.	18 4 1
	16 2 4	" " " Learner	16 3 1
Cement Goods :		Storeman	16 7 7
Pipe-making :		Assistant Storeman	14 18 1
Moulder	16 3 4	All Others	14 5 1
Wire-drawer	16 0 10	Soap and Candle Factories :	
General Hands	15 6 10	Glycerine Hand	16 4 10
Block-making :		Soap Crutcher	15 16 10
Mixer, Block Machine Operator	16 9 4	Tallow Man, and Soap Cutter	15 13 4
Off-bearers and Stackers	15 18 4	Assistants to Soapmaker	15 13 4
	to	Wrappers and Packers (Adult Females)	10 14 9
	15 6 4	Superphosphate Works :	
Brick-making	15 6 4	Phosphate Rock Section	15 18 10
	to		to
	15 6 4		16 4 10
Tile-making :			to
Hand Presser, Ridge-maker	16 7 10	Sulphur Section	16 7 4
Stripper and Stackers	15 15 4		to
	15 0 10		15 10 4
	to		to
	17 10 10	Superphosphate Section	17 0 4
Cement Works :			15 15 10
Miller (Raw Mill)	16 11 4		to
Assistant (Raw Mill)	15 11 10	Sulphuric Acid Chamber Section	16 10 4
Burner	18 0 4		to
Quarryman	16 2 10	Acid and Chemical Manufacturing Plant	16 4 4
	to	Section	15 15 10
	16 11 4		to
Fibrous Plaster, Plaster and Cement Goods :		Mixed Manures Plant Section	16 10 4
Bench Hand	19 3 10		to
Fixer	18 13 10	General Section	15 10 4
Cement Worker	15 19 10		to
Plaster Caster	16 18 10		16 7 4
Limeworks :		Leadburners	19 2 1
Loaders and Kiln Hands	14 19 4		
Quarrymen	14 18 4	CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIAL METALS, MACHINES, IMPLEMENTS AND CONVEYANCES—	
Day-labourers, Lime Baggers, and Crushers	15 1 4		
Kiln Repairers	15 8 10	State Engineering Works, Leighton :	
Powder Monkey	15 4 4	Fitters, Turners, Moulders	19 2 4
Rock Drill Man	14 18 4	Boiler-maker	19 2 4
		Pattern-makers	20 11 4
CLASS II.—BRICKS, POTTERY, GLASS, ETC.—		Blacksmiths	21 0 10
Brickworks (House Bricks) :		Carpenters	(a) 19 7 4
Burner	16 6 10	Painters	(b) 19 3 7
	to	Labourers	14 6 4
	16 14 4	Agricultural Implement Making :	
	15 19 10	Assemblers	15 11 4
Clayhole Hands	16 14 4		to
	15 19 10	Agricultural Implement and/or Comb	16 1 4
	to	Fitters	16 11 4
Machine Driver	17 0 4		to
	15 19 10		16 16 4
Taker-off and Assistant Setter	17 0 4	Service-man	16 11 4
Setter	17 0 4	Coachbuilding, etc. :	
Moulder and Presser (Fancy Bricks)	17 0 4	Coachsmith, General Smith, Farrier, Wheelwright Smith, Spring Maker and/or Fitters on Road Vehicles, Bodymaker, Panel Beater	19 2 4
Brickworks (Fire-bricks) :			15 18 4
Clayhole Hand	15 19 10		to
Off Bearers	16 14 4	Welders	19 2 4
Scintlers	15 19 10		
	16 5 10	Wheelwright, Wheelmaker, Painter, Spray Painter, Trimmer, Grainer, Seat Maker, Signwriter	18 12 10
	to		17 19 10
Burners	16 14 4	Machinists (all kinds)	to
	17 0 4		18 3 4
Setters	15 19 10	Sectional Trimmer	17 3 10
Mill-mixer	16 7 10	Floorman, Metal Panel Fixer	16 14 4
Wheeler-out	15 19 10	Assembler, Vyceman	16 1 4
Wheeler for setting	15 19 10	Storeman	15 15 10
Glass :			14 6 4
Glass Bevelers or Silverers	19 2 4	All others	to
Leadlight Glazier	19 2 4		15 15 10
Pottery Workers (Pipe and Tile) :		Engineering Foundries, etc.	
Burner	16 11 4	Blacksmith, Fitter, Turner, etc.	19 2 4
Moulder, Presser, Trap Maker	16 4 10	Patternmaker	20 11 4
Junction Sticker	15 15 4	Toolmaker	20 1 4
	15 14 4		
	to		
Setters	16 0 10		
	14 15 10		
	to		
Others	16 0 10		

(a) Includes Tool allowance 5s. 0d.

(b) Includes Tool allowance 1s. 3d.

No. 48—Minimum Rates of Wages payable to Adult Workers under Awards of Arbitration Authorities and Industrial Agreements, as at 30th June, 1960—continued

Industry and Occupation	Wages	Industry and Occupation	Wages
CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIAL METALS, MACHINES, IMPLEMENTS AND CONVEYANCES—continued	£ s. d.	CLASS IV.—INDUSTRIAL METALS, MACHINES, IMPLEMENTS AND CONVEYANCES—continued	£ s. d.
Engineering Foundries, etc. (Metropolitan) —continued	Per week	Miscellaneous Section—continued	
Motor Mechanic	19 2 4	Watchman	15 5 6
Furnace-man	16 14 4	Electrical Mechanic	18 12 0
Tradesman's Assistant	17 3 10	Sheetmetal Working :	
Boiler-maker	15 10 10	Bench Hands (First Class)	19 2 4
Moulder	19 2 4	Bench Hands (Second Class)	17 10 4
Electrical Fitter and/or Armature Winder	19 2 4	Canister-makers	16 4 10
Electrical Installer	18 12 10	Gas Meter-makers	17 7 4
Refrigeration Fitter	19 2 4	Stove and Range Fitters and Assemblers	17 7 4
Engineering (Goldfields) Excluding Mining :		Shipbuilding, etc. (Fed. Award) (Gov.):	
Motor Mechanic	18 14 10	Shore Shipwrights (Permanent Employees)....	18 16 0
Coppersmith, Blacksmith	18 14 10		Per hour
Pattern-maker	20 3 10	Shipwrights and Boat Builders (Casual)	0 10 3½
Engineering (Railways) :	Per Shift (†)	Wire and Wire-working :	Per week
Fitter-in-Charge, Running Shed	5 2 1	Wire-making :	
Fitter-in-Charge, Power House	4 4 2	Galvanizer	15 6 4
Pattern-maker	4 2 3	Loom Weaver	14 18 4
Blacksmith, Coppersmith	3 17 1	Barbed Wire-maker	14 16 10
Fitter, Brass-finisher, Turner	3 16 6	Annealer	14 16 4
Furnace-man	4 0 10	Labourer	14 6 4
Slotter, Planer, Shaper, Borer, etc.	3 16 6	Gate and Fence-making :	
Boilermaker	4 0 10	Metal Frame Scroll-makers	16 12 4
Moulder	3 16 6	Spring Coil, Ring Lock "K" Fence	
Engineering (Sawmills)—South-West Land Division (c) :	Per week	and Fabric Machinists	16 12 4
Pattern-maker	20 8 1	Machinist's Assistants	16 4 10
First Class Welder	18 19 1		15 18 4
Fitter, Turner, etc.	15 15 1	Welders....	19 2 4
Driller	18 9 7	Iron Bedstead-making:	
Electrical Installer	18 9 7	Chill Fitter (who designs and models)	18 19 4
Tradesman's Assistant	15 12 7	Chill Fitter	16 9 10
Engineering (Others)—South-West Land Division (c) :		Head Furnaceman	16 9 10
Fitter Turner, Electrical Fitter	18 19 1	Bedstead Welder and Caster....	16 3 4
Motor Mechanic	18 19 1	Others	15 16 10
Tradesman's Assistant	15 12 7		
General Labourer	14 3 1	CLASS V.—PRECIOUS METALS, JEWELLERY, PLATE—	
Aircraft Workers (Federal Award) (d) :		Jewellers and Allied Trades:	
Repair, Maintenance and Servicing Section :		Watch-makers and Clock-makers	19 6 4
Ground Engineers and/or Aircraft Mechanics:		Jewellers, Engravers, Setters	19 2 4
Holding prescribed Certificates	19 3 6		
Holding no Certificate	21 3 0	CLASS VI.—TEXTILES AND TEXTILE GOODS (INCLUDING KNITTED GOODS)—	
Pattern-maker	18 12 0	Bag and Sack Workers:	
Tool-maker	20 1 0	Floor Hands (Female)	10 14 9
Machinist, Metal	16 1 0	Machinist and Hand Cutters (Females)	10 14 9
Machinist, Wood	18 12 0	Machinist (Male)	15 4 4
Sheet Metal Worker	17 0 0	Factory Hands (Male)	14 19 4
Miscellaneous Section :		Knitting :	
Carpenter and Joiner (including tool allowance)	17 16 0	Males :	
Electrical Fitter	18 12 0	Mechanics	15 16 4
Painter	18 8 0	Machine Cutters	15 8 4
Plumber	18 12 0	Hand Cutters	15 5 4
Tradesman's Assistant	15 5 6	Machine Attendants, Pressers	15 0 3
Tractor Driver	15 17 6	Others	14 9 4
Driver, Omnibus	16 13 6	Females	10 14 9
		Rope and Cordage :	
		Rope-layer	16 9 4
		Rope-splicer	15 13 4
		Others	14 12 10
		Females	15 6 10
		Textile Workers (Federal Award) :	
		Combining Department :	
		Assistant Foreman and/or overlooker	18 1 0
		Other Males	15 19 0
		Other Males	16 10 6
		Females	11 9 0
		Drawing, Spinning, Twisting and Wind- ing :	
		Assistant Foreman and/or overlooker	18 1 0
		Other Males	15 2 6
		Other Males	16 10 6
		Females	11 0 0
		Females	11 11 6

(c) Outside 15-mile radius from G.P.O. (d) Inclusive of loadings.
(†) Eight hours. Five shifts per week.

No. 48—Minimum Rates of Wages payable to Adult Workers under Awards of Arbitration Authorities and Industrial Agreements, as at 30th June 1960—continued

Industry and Occupation	Wages	Industry and Occupation	Wages
CLASS VI.—TEXTILES AND TEXTILE GOODS (INCLUDING KNITTED GOODS)—continued	£ s. d. Per week	CLASS VIII.—CLOTHING (EXCLUDING KNITTED)—continued	£ s. d. Per week
Warping Department :		Underclothing and Whitework :	
Assistant Foreman and/or overlooker	18 1 0	Males :	
Other Males	15 7 6	Cutters	18 11 0
Females	16 12 0	Others	14 5 6
to	11 9 0	to	17 19 6
Weaving Department :	11 18 0	Females :	
Assistant Foreman and/or overlooker	18 14 0	Cutters	12 19 0
Males	15 2 6	Pressers	11 12 0
to	18 7 6	Others	10 14 0
Females	11 0 0	to	12 4 0
to	12 9 6		
		Shirtmaking	
CLASS VII.—SKINS AND LEATHER (NOT CLOTHING OR FOOTWEAR)—Saddlery and Leather Working :		Males :	
Journeyman	16 16 4	Cutters	18 11 0
Journeywoman	17 1 4	Others	14 5 6
Females	10 14 9	to	17 19 6
Tanneries (Federal Award) (e) :	10 14 9	Females : ...	12 19 0
Bark Bagger	16 6 6		
Currier	18 11 6	Tailoring : Men's (Order)	
Classer or Sorter	17 12 0	Males :	
Flesher (Hand)	17 13 6	Cutters	19 19 6
Lime Jobber	16 16 6	Trimmer, Fitter-up, Machinist	17 10 6
Machinist (Splitting)	17 18 6	Others	14 5 6
to	18 11 6	to	18 12 6
Roller	17 0 6	Females :	
Striker and Setter-out	16 17 6	Cutters	19 19 6
Shedman who applies Dressing to Leather (Wet)	16 13 0	Fitter-up, Shaper	17 10 6
Unhairer, Scudder, etc.	16 19 6	Journeywomen	10 14 0
to	16 11 6	to	17 10 6
Table Hands	16 16 6		
Woolscouring :		Clothing : Men's (Ready-made) :	
Woolscourer (in Charge of Machine)	17 15 4	Males :	
All other Adults	17 0 10	Cutters	18 11 0
to	17 4 4	Tailors	18 5 0
		Trimmers, Fitters-up, Machinist	17 10 6
CLASS VIII.—CLOTHING (EXCLUDING KNITTED)—		Proofer	16 4 0
Boots and Shoes :		Brushers, Folders, Seam Pressers	15 16 0
Journymen (Federal Award)	16 16 6	Females :	
Journeywomen (Federal Award)	11 14 6	Cutters	18 11 0
Repairer	17 10 4	Trimmers, Fitters-up, Pressers	17 10 6
Dressmaking (Order) (Federal Award) :		Seam Pressers	11 9 0
Males :		Others	10 14 0
Cutters	19 6 6	to	17 10 6
Head of a Table	18 12 6		
Machinists	17 10 6	CLASS IX.—FOOD, DRINK, AND TO-BACCO—	
Pressers-off	14 5 6	Aerated Waters and Cordial Factories :	
Others	18 5 0	Cordial Makers	16 17 4
Females :		Motor Driver	17 5 4
Cutters	15 16 6	Bottler in Charge of Generator	16 5 10
Pressers	12 4 0	Bottler	15 5 4
Others	10 14 0	Packer, Wirer, Tally Clerk	15 2 4
to	12 19 0	Others	14 6 4
Dressmaking (Ready-made) :		to	15 2 4
Males :			
Cutters	18 11 0	Baking :	
Tailors	18 5 0	Foreman-in-charge of 4 or more workers	21 7 4
Machinist	17 10 6	Foreman-in-charge of less than 4 workers	20 18 10
Pressers-off	17 10 6	Single Hand Baker, Doughmaker	20 10 4
Others	14 5 6	Baker doing Oven work, Board Hand	19 15 4
Females :		Per hour	
Cutters	15 16 6	Jobber	0 10 4
Pressers	12 4 0	Per week	
Others	10 14 0	Bread-carter	16 0 4
to	12 19 0	Bread-carter (in charge motor vehicle)	16 10 4
Biscuits and Cakes :		Mixers	16 14 10
Mixers	16 14 10	Ovensmen	16 7 10
Brakesmen	16 5 4	General Factory Hands	15 9 4
Female Employees	10 14 9	Breweries (including Bottling) :	
Motor Lorry Driver	18 2 3	Cylinder Men	17 9 3
Leading Hands	18 8 6	Topmen	17 9 3
Firemen	17 11 4	Bottle-washers, Cask-washers, Packers, Sorters, Corkers, Wirers, Labourers, etc.	17 3 0
		Cask Pitchers	17 6 9
		Engine-driver	18 8 0
		Firemen	17 11 4

(e) Inclusive of loadings.

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Industry and Occupation	Wages	Industry and Occupation	Wages
CLASS IX.—FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO—<i>continued</i>	£ s. d.	CLASS IX.—FOOD, DRINK, AND TOBACCO—<i>continued</i>	£ s. d.
Butchering and Slaughtering : Shop Section : (f)	Per week	Fruit and Produce Markets :	Per week
General Butcher	17 13 4	Head Storeman	16 12 10
Smallgoodsman	17 13 4	Weekly Workers	16 7 7
First Shopman	18 6 4	Ham and Bacon Curing :	
Beef Carters' Section :		Leading Man	18 15 10
Motors, under 25 cwt.	16 12 4	Scalders	17 13 4
Motors, 25 cwt. and over	17 4 10	Assistants in Cellar	17 13 4
Export Slaughtermen :	17 17 10	Trimmers	18 15 10
Pieceworkers (g)	Per 100 (Chain System)	Ice-making and Cold Storage :	
Group "A," Catching, Sticking, Shackling	0 12 9	Leading Hand	16 7 10
Group "B," Skinning, etc.	6 17 0	Pullers, Stackers, Packers	15 18 4
Composite Rate	7 9 9	Engine-driver	17 6 4
Attendants on Slaughterman	Per week	Fireman	15 9 4
Abattoirs Section, Midland Junction :	16 16 4	Ice-cream Making :	
Tally Slaughterman : (h)	to	Freezing-Machine Operators	15 13 10
Sheep :	17 1 4	Cold-room hands	16 6 10
Group "A," Catching, Sticking, Shackling	Per 100 (Chain System)	Cone and Wafer Machine hand	16 14 4
Group "B," Skinning, Gutting, etc.	0 9 4	Others	16 3 4
Cattle	5 0 8	Females	15 10 10
Other than Slaughterman :	Per head	Jam, Fruit and Vegetable Canning :	10 14 9
Sheep :	0 6 0	Leading Hand—Jam, Sauce, Chutney, Pickle and Condiment making, Fruit Preserving, Peel-making, Vinegar brewing	
Classifier	Per week	Syrup maker, Jam Boiler, Brine maker, Solderer, Retort Attendant	16 7 4
Spreader Inserters	17 6 4	General Hands	15 6 10
All Others	17 1 4	Females	15 1 10
Cattle :	16 16 4	Macaroni Making :	10 14 9
Knocker, Shackle-holster, Bleeder, Index Man, Trimmer, Hide Checker, Dehornor	18 12 7	Worker drying Macaroni, Vermicelli	15 18 4
Viscera Separator	17 11 4	Paste makers	15 11 4
All Others	16 16 4	Press Operators	15 11 4
Butter-making :		All Others	14 13 4
Butter-maker	17 7 10	Females	10 14 9
Grader, Cream	17 9 10	Milk Processing :	
Tester, Cream	17 2 4	Tester and Grader	16 16 10
Assistant Butter-maker, Cutter	15 19 10	Pasteuriser	15 15 10
Vacuator Operator	16 6 4	Man in Charge, Bottling Machine	15 7 10
Dried-Milk Operator	15 12 10	All others	15 6 4
Factory Hands	15 6 4	Females (General Hands)	10 14 9
Cheese-making :		Pastry Cooking :	
Cheese-maker	17 7 10	Pastry-cook (Single hand)	18 4 4
Assistant Cheese-maker	15 19 10	Pastry-cooks	17 10 4
Cheese room hand	16 2 10	Female Pastry-cook	11 13 3
Factory hand	15 6 4	Sugar Refinery :	
Chaffcutting and Carting (i) :		Raw Sugar :	
Cook	15 19 7	Leading hand	17 1 6
Bag-sewer	16 7 7	Unsticking, cutting-in	16 0 6
Engine-drivers	19 3 7	Men Washing and Drying	15 6 6
Bale Lumper	16 7 7	Melting House :	
Others	15 4 7	Washing fuguas	15 14 6
(From these rates £4 14s. 3d. is deducted per week for keep.)		Fan Floor :	
Cigar, Cigarette and Tobacco Making :		Refined fuguas	17 1 6
Males	15 0 4	Boil-out fuguas	15 14 6
Females	15 11 4	Cleaner Attendants	15 8 6
Flour Mills (Federal Award) :	10 14 9	Refined Sugar :	
Foreman Miller	21 8 0	Scale man	16 18 6
Shift Miller or Roller man	19 0 0	Stackers and Truckers (Store Room)	15 15 6
Fitters and Millwrights	21 8 0	Drier and Grader	15 14 6
General Repairers	20 2 0	Packages :	
Wheat Samplers	18 8 0	Leading Hand	16 17 6
Smuttermen and Topmen	17 6 0	Unspecified Workers	15 6 6
Packermen	17 14 6		
Storehand	16 19 6		
Engine-drivers	17 8 6		
Firemen	18 17 0		
All others	15 16 6		
		CLASS X.—WOOD-WORKING AND BASKETWARE—	
		Box and Case-making :	
		Sawyer	15 13 10
		Machinist	18 17 10
		Case-maker	15 10 4
		Labourer	15 10 4
			14 6 4

(f) Not including allowance of 1s. or 2s. 9d. (depending upon work) for tools of trade or clothing. (g) Total daily earnings to be increased by 3s. 6d. (h) Total daily earnings to be increased by 6s. 9d. (i) Excluding area within 15 miles from G.P.O. Includes allowance of 12s. 6d. per week.

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Industry and Occupation	Wages	Industry and Occupation	Wages
CLASS XVI.—HEAT, LIGHT AND POWER—	£ s. d.	MISCELLANEOUS—<i>continued</i>	£ s. d.
Electric Light Works:	Per week	Boarding and/or Lodging Houses and Service Flats (without Board and Lodging):	Per week
Turbine-Driver	19 15 4	Cook (Male)	15 6 4
Auxiliary Plant Attendant	18 0 4	Yardman	14 6 4
Fireman	17 15 4	Cook (Female)....	10 14 9
Greaser	16 7 10	Waitress	10 14 9
Boiler-cleaner	16 14 4	Housemaid, Pantrymaid	10 14 9
Engine or Plant Cleaner	15 14 4	Building Trades:	
Gas Works: (k)		Carpenters, Joiners	20 19 4
Retort Operator-in-Charge	18 8 4	Bricklayers, Rubble Wallers	20 16 4
Ganger-in-Charge, Main Gang	17 13 4	Painters, Signwriters	20 15 7
Gas meter Maker or Repairer....	16 19 4	Stonemasons	20 14 4
	to	Plasterers	20 17 10
Retort Operator (Shift work)	17 16 10	Plumbers	20 18 10
Carburetted Water Gas Plant Operator	16 18 10	Labourer	16 5 11
Maintenance Man	16 18 10		to
Service Layer	16 14 4		17 12 8
Main Layer or Caulker	16 14 4	Motor Wagon Driver:	
Stove Assemblers	15 15 4	25 cwt. or less	16 12 4
Assistants to—Service Layer	15 9 4	Over 25 cwt. and up to 3 tons	17 5 4
Men Emptying or Filling Purifier	15 15 10	Over 3 and up to 6 tons	17 17 10
Labourers	14 6 4	Loaders, Yardmen, Horse and Motor Drivers' Assistants	15 4 4
MISCELLANEOUS—		Passenger Carrying:	
Pastoral (Federal Award):		Omnibus Drivers (m)—	
Shearers with machines (not found):	Per 100	Ordinary Vehicles	17 10 4
Flock Sheep	8 2 3		to
Rams that have cut first two permanent teeth and for ram stags	16 4 6	Articulated Vehicles	17 17 10
Stud Ewes (not special)	10 2 10	Taxi-car Drivers	18 14 10
Double Fleeced Sheep	10 16 4	Washers (night)	16 2 10
	Per week	Washers (night)	15 8 10
Wool Presser (not found)	28 0 3	Fare Collectors (Female)	10 14 9
Shed hands (not found)	24 18 9		
Shearing Cooks (found)	29 10 5	Cemetery Employees:	
Station Hands (not found)	15 18 0	Grave Digger	16 7 10
Farm Workers Award (l):		Gardener	16 1 4
Adult Workers	14 9 1		to
Attendance and Service:			15 0 4
Barman, Barmaid (without Board and Lodging)	17 10 4	Maintenance Man	to
Clubs (without Board and Lodging):			15 8 10
Cooks (Male)	16 4 10	Cleaning, etc. (Public Buildings):	
	to	Caretaker (Male)	18 4 4
	18 3 4	Cleaner (Male)	15 18 4
Cooks (Female)	12 13 3	Cleaner (Female), Weekly Hand	10 14 9
	to	Lift Attendant	15 6 10
Barman	14 11 9	Window Cleaner	16 6 10
Waiter, Steward	17 10 4		
Kitchenman, Pantryman	15 11 10	Clerical:	
Waitress and other Female Workers	12 0 3	Wholesale and Retail Houses:	
Hotels and Coffee Palaces (without Board):		Clerk (Senior)	19 2 4
Cooks (Male)	16 4 10		15 11 4
	to	Clerk (Male)	to
	18 3 4		18 3 4
Cooks (Female)	12 13 3	Clerk (Female)	12 7 3
	to		to
Waiter	14 11 9		12 16 9
Night Porter	15 11 10	Diving (Marine) and Tending:	Per Shift (†)
Hall Porter	16 8 4	Divers (when Diving)	6 7 3
Waitress and other Female Workers	15 11 10	Divers (when not Diving)	Per week
Hotels (without Board and Lodging):			17 3 10
Cooks (Male)	16 4 10	Tenders (when Tending)	Per Shift (†)
	to		4 0 3
	18 3 4	Tenders (when not Tending)	Per week
Cooks (Female)	12 13 3		15 15 4
	to	Dock, River and Harbour Works:	
Waiter	14 11 9	Wood Pile Driving:	
Night Porter	15 11 10	Man in Charge	17 5 10
Hall Porter	16 8 4		15 11 4
Waitress and other Female Workers	15 11 10	Others	to
Restaurants (without Board):			15 18 4
Cooks (Male)	16 4 10	Drilling and Blasting Plant:	
	to	Leading Hand	18 9 4
	17 18 4		15 11 4
Cooks (Female)	12 13 3	Others	to
	to		16 18 4
Waiter	14 6 9	Quarry Worker	15 5 10
Night Porter	15 11 10		to
Other Male Workers	15 5 4		17 3 10
Counter Hand (Female)	12 0 3		
Waitress	12 0 3		
Other Female Workers	11 17 9		

(k) Rates exclude 3s. Industry Loading and 3s. Service Loading.

Lodging, Adults £1 5s., per week.

Five shifts per week.

(l) Subject to deduction for Board and Lodging, Adults £1 5s., per week.

(m) If collecting fares 3s. 0d. per day extra.

(†) Eight hours.

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Industry and Occupation	Wages	Industry and Occupation	Wages
MISCELLANEOUS—<i>continued</i>	£ s. d.	MISCELLANEOUS—<i>continued</i>	£ s. d.
Ganger	Per week 17 5 10	Mining (Coal)— <i>continued</i>	Per Shift (†)
Survey Hands	to 19 3 10	Wheeler	3 3 3½
	15 11 4	Tipplers	3 0 7
	to	Gantry and Screenman	3 1 8½
	15 17 10	Surface Worker (Labourer)	2 18 11½
Tar and Bitumen Workers : Various classes of employees	15 15 10 to 17 3 10	Unclassified Worker (Underground)	3 2 8
Concrete Pile-driving Plant : Man in Charge	18 9 4	Mining (Gold) : (g)	Per Shift (†)
Topman	16 18 10	General :	3 12 4
Machine Man	16 7 10	Rock-drill men	3 17 9
Dredge Employees : Ladderman	18 3 4	Hand Miners	3 8 3
Quartermaster	17 3 10		to
Deckhand	16 17 4	Shaft-timber Men	3 17 9
Winchman	17 10 4	Mullockers, Truckers, Shovelers, etc.	3 4 6
Assistant Winchman	17 3 10	General Labourers (Surface)	3 3 9
Greaser	17 16 10		3 4 3
Fireman	17 10 4	Others	to
Engine Driving : Government (excluding Railways) : Loco. Driver (Harbour Works)	18 1 10	Engineering : Driller, Screwer, Motor Attendant	Per week 17 13 10
Pile Driver	16 17 4	Electrical Wireman, Lineman	19 2 4
	to	Pipe Fitter	18 3 4
Stationary Steam (2nd Class Certificate)	17 16 10	Coppersmith, Blacksmith	20 4 10
Stationary Steam (3rd Class Certificate)	17 3 10	Fitter, Turner	20 4 10
Steam-Crane Drivers	17 8 4	Pattern-maker	21 13 10
Main Roads Department : Internal Combustion Roller Drivers : 10 tons and over	17 19 4	Oxy-acetylene and Electric Welder	20 4 10
Under 10 tons	17 8 10		
	17 19 10	Engine-driving, etc. :	Per Shift (†)
Motor Graders (Under 40 h.p.)	18 6 4	Winding Engine-driver (Special Shaft)	4 10 1
	19 0 4	Winding Engine-driver (Other)	3 14 8
Motor Graders (Over 40 h.p.)	19 6 10	Winch-driver	4 1 3
Hairdressing : Hairdresser (Male)	17 10 4		3 11 2
Hairdresser (Female)	11 6 7	Loco Engine-driver	to
Hospital Employees (General Hospitals)(n): Males :	15 8 10	Stationary Steam Engine-drivers	3 12 10
Orderlies	to		3 14 8
	16 4 10	Fireman, Leading	3 9 6
Kitchenman	15 2 4	Fireman, Steam and Producer	to
	15 15 4	Greasers, Cleaners	3 13 5
Females : Wardmaids, Kitchenmaids, etc.	11 9 9	Trimmers	3 9 3
Cook—First	13 4 9	Boiler Cleaners	3 5 9
Cook—Other	12 14 9		3 4 7
Hospital Employees (Private Hospitals)(o): Males :	15 8 10	Motor Service Station Attendants : Metropolitan	Per week 14 16 10
Orderly	15 8 10	South-West Land Division	14 13 7
Kitchenman, Handyman	15 8 10	Rest of State	14 9 4
Laundryman	15 15 4	Municipal Employees (Perth) : Sanitary Employees :	15 9 10
Cook	16 7 10	Rubbish Tipmen	16 12 10
Females : Cook	12 7 3	Rubbish or Dust Collector	17 8 4
Kitchenmaid	11 9 9	Sanitary Pan Removers	17 3 10
	11 12 3	Stage-hands, Trenchmen, Washers	15 0 10
Unregistered Nurses	to	Attendants (Latrines)	19 16 4
	11 17 3	Motor Lorry-Driver	15 16 4
Registered Nurses (see Nurses' Award, page 45). Laundry Employees : Male	15 0 4	Horse-drivers	to
Female	10 14 9		16 18 10
Mining (Coal) : Miners	Per Shift (†) 3 7 12	Stabliemen	15 13 4
Loaderman (Mechanical Units)	3 16 6½		16 12 4
Faceman, (Mechanical Units)	3 12 2½	Motor Lorry-drivers	to
Pumpman (p)	3 16 7½		17 17 10
Shiftman (Mechanical Units)	3 12 2½	Sweepers, etc.	14 9 4
			to
		Drainage Workers, etc.	15 9 10
			15 3 10
			to
		Nurses (Registered) : Government and Public Hospitals (r) : Junior Sisters	16 6 10
			14 19 9
		Sisters (with 2 years' experience as Junior Sister)	to
			15 4 9
			15 14 9
			to
		Sister in Charge of Ward or Depart- ment	16 4 9
			16 14 9
			to
			17 4 9

(n) If Board and Lodging provided £3 13s. 1d. per week to be deducted. (o) If Board provided £2 13s. 0d. to be deducted. If lodging provided £1 0s. 1d. to be deducted. (p) Eight hour shift including one hour overtime. (q) Rates include Industry Allowance of £1 15s. per week. (r) See note (s) on page 45.
(†) Eleven shifts per fortnight; ten of 7 hours and one of 5 hours. (‡) 7½ hours underground, 8 hours surface. Five shifts per week.

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Industry and Occupation	Wages	Industry and Occupation	Wages
MISCELLANEOUS—continued	£ s. d.	MISCELLANEOUS—continued	£ s. d.
Nurses (Registered)—continued		Railways (Government)—continued	Per Shift (†)
Government and Public Hospitals (s)	Per week		3 10 1
Deputy Matrons	18 14 9	Ganger	to
	to	Chainman	3 19 3
Matrons	27 19 9		3 3 2
	18 4 9		
	to	Shop Assistants	Per week
Nurses (Registered):	34 9 9	Male	16 19 4
Private Hospitals:		Female	12 0 9
Sisters:			16 19 4
"B" Class	14 19 9	Head Storeman, Head Despatch Hand	to
"A" Class	16 14 9		17 5 10
(Subject to deduction for Board £2 12s. 11d.		Storeman	16 12 10
and Lodging £1 6s. 6d.)		Canvasser	16 19 4
Quarrymen:		Tramways:	
Spallers	16 2 10	Trolley Bus Drivers	17 10 4
Man Barring Down	16 2 10	Petrol Bus Driver	18 6 4
Crusher-feeders	16 11 4		15 15 4
Machine Man	16 2 10	Conductors	to
Powder Monkeys	17 1 10		16 14 4
Railways (Government):	Per Shift (†)	Car Builders	19 2 4
Engine-drivers	3 16 6	Linesmen	17 19 10
	to	Worker, Poling Gang	15 15 4
Firemen	4 11 10	Track Repairer	15 15 4
	3 3 4		
Trainee Engineman	3 10 8	Waterside Workers (Federal Award):	Per hour
	3 0 10	Lumper (General Cargo)	0 11 2½
Guard	3 10 4	Bulk Wheat—Machine Trimmer	0 12 8½
	3 17 3	Bagged Wheat	0 11 8½
Porter	3 0 10	Wine and Spirit Warehouse Employees:	Per week
	to	Cellarman (Head)	18 9 4
Shunter	3 5 10	Storeman	16 13 4
	3 5 10	Others	16 11 10
Signalman	3 15 10	Wool Stores:	
	3 2 4	Head Classifier and/or Man in Charge of	
Motor Car and Lorry Drivers	3 19 9	Store	19 2 4
	3 6 6	Assistant Classifier	18 5 10
	to	Assistant Storeman	18 0 4
	3 11 7	Wool Sorter	17 15 4
		Others	16 17 4

(s) Where board and lodging are provided £3 11s. 7d. is to be deducted. Where an employee is required to live out a payment of 25s. per week shall be made by the employer in approved cases.

† Eight hours. Five shifts per week.

No. 49—Minimum Rates of Wages payable to Apprentices under Awards of Arbitration Authorities and Industrial Agreements in certain Trades, as at 30th June, 1960

Trade	Weekly Wages (a)	Trade	Weekly Wages (a)
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
Baking	4 17 1 to 15 13 7	Painting (including Paper-	
Boilermaking	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	hanging, Glazing, Decor-	
Bootmaking (Federal Award)	5 0 6 ,, 14 17 0(b)	ating and Signwriting)	4 15 4 to 15 7 7
Butchery	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	Pastrycooking	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4
Carpentering	4 15 4 ,, 15 11 4	Plumbing	4 15 4 ,, 15 10 10
Coachbuilding	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	Printing Trade—	
Engineering (Metal Trades)	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	Job Printing (Federal	
		Award)	6 1 0 ,, 15 16 0(c)
Furniture-making, etc.—		Job Printing (State Award)	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4
Machining Branch, Glass		Newspaper Printing	7 14 3 ,, 20 5 0
Bevelling, Silvering, Mat-		Saddlery—	
tress-making, Wire-weav-		Males	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4
ing, and all other Branches		Females	3 5 2 ,, 9 13 3
Hairdressing (Men's)	4 5 11 ,, 15 6 4	Saw Mill Engineering	4 14 3 ,, 15 3 1
	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	Sheet-metal Working	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4
Hairdressing (Ladies')—		Tailoring (Order)—(Federal)	
Males	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	Maies	3 17 6 ,, 14 0 6
Females	2 14 0 ,, 9 18 0	Females	4 13 0 ,, 10 1 0(d)
Jewellery	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	Timber Machining (Metro-	
Moulding	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	politian)	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4
Optical Works	4 15 4 ,, 15 6 4	Watchmaking	4 15 4 ,, 15 9 4

(a) Range for five years' apprenticeship, unless otherwise shown. (b) Three to five years. (c) Six years. (d) Four years.

XIV—METEOROLOGICAL STATISTICS

(Supplied by courtesy of the Deputy Director, Meteorological Services)

No. 50—Notes on the Rainfall and General Weather Conditions in Western Australia during April, May and June, 1960

April

General—During April anticyclonic influences were strong in the sub-tropics and although an extensive southern depression brought general rain northward of the Gascoynes on the 6th and 7th there were later instances wherein tropical low-pressure troughs formed along the west coast only to be thrust aside by vigorous high-pressure systems moving in from the Indian Ocean.

In the tropics low pressure was weak following upon the two cyclones in March and little rain eventuated during the first three weeks. A cyclone over the Arafura Sea on the 20th gave promise of further tropical rains as it moved south-west, but having gained the Timor Sea it lost intensity.

Rainfall—Scattered rains mainly due to thunderstorms were received in the tropics during the first three weeks of April but falls exceeding an inch and ranging up to three inches were reported from the Kimberleys after the 20th due to the influence of a short-lived cyclone over the Timor Sea.

On the 6th and 7th a large southern depression produced rain as far north as the East Gascoyne divisions but registrations were mainly light except in the lower south-west where Bunbury received 188 points in 24 hours, a record day's total for April.

Little rain was received during the remainder of the period except in the lower south-west and south and the agricultural districts generally were looking for opening rains at the close of the month.

Temperature—Extreme heat prevailed throughout the tropics and Gascoynes and extended to many places in the sub-tropical areas during the first week of the month, when the highest maximum temperature reported, 104°, occurred on four consecutive days at Port Hedland and twice at Talgarno and Roebourne respectively. These figures represented a departure of 11° above the normal day temperature but minimum or night registrations showed even greater departures in the East Gascoyne and places as far south as the southern wheatbelt where a number of recordings exceeded the average by 10°–16°.

As a contrast to these, a series of waves of cold air passed across the sub-tropics during the last week of the month and day temperatures fell 15° below the normal at many places, ranging up to 19° below at Cue.

The night temperatures were the lowest recorded in April at several stations from the Metropolitan area to the Gascoynes and Goldfields and many stations reported night temperatures which closely approximated their lowest April recordings. Temperatures ranged from 104° at several tropical stations early in the month to 30° at Wandering on the 30th.

Metropolitan—In Perth the rainfall in April was below average to the extent of 118 points, but the falls over the previous three months more than compensated for this as the total to the end of April was nearly an inch above the average for the four months' period.

Temperatures early in the month were high, reaching 82·6° on the 4th but towards the close of the month the Metropolitan area participated in the series of cold waves that passed across the State and on the morning of the 27th the minimum fell to 40·6° which is the third lowest minimum recorded for this month.

On the 25th the maximum temperature did not rise above 62·3° and on the 26th 63·1° and 27th 64·2°. These low readings may be compared with the lowest maximum recorded for April—58·6°.

May

General—High pressure predominated during the first half of the month extending on occasions to the tropical divisions. Two small depressions formed off the Kimberley coast in the second week and, on occasions, low-pressure troughs formed along the west coast or southern depressions intruded in the south-west. Except in the tropics either the troughs were thrust aside or the depressions were restricted by anticyclonic influences.

On the 17th the distribution of pressure changed and during the third week a series of low-pressure centres operated over the sub-tropics in various forms culminating, on the 26th, in a vast southern disturbance which extended northward to embrace all sub-tropical divisions. This in turn passed eastward by the 29th to be followed by a rather energetic anticyclone which caused a return to fine, cold though cloudy weather for the remaining days of the month.

Rainfall—In the Kimberleys good rains were received in the first half of the period when falls ranging up to 370 points at Sunday Island, 271 points at Wyndham and more than two inches at other stations were reported. In the remainder of the tropics however and in the East and West Gascoyne divisions little, if any, rain occurred.

During the second fortnight, due to the northward extension of southern low-pressure, light rains were received in the De Grey, Fortescue and both Gascoyne divisions and on the 26th, from the same source, the De Grey received excellent falls ranging up to 210 points at Bamboo Springs and 186 points at Bonny Downs; the Fortescue received falls up to one and three-quarter inches at several stations and an outstanding three inches at Roy Glen.

South of the tropic the agricultural districts obtained light amounts at fairly regular intervals early in the month which served to keep the green feed going. After the 19th however good general rains were received during the following week which, over the seven days, totalled one and a-half to two inches in the outer wheat belt and between two and two and a half inches ranging up to three inches at places in the central and parts of the southern wheat areas.

The falls, however, were only light in the North-Eastern and South-Eastern divisions and, although in the latter the seasonal position was already established, the North-Eastern division and Northern Goldfields still required good rains to assist pastures.

The rains extended to the West and East Gascoynes where light to moderate amounts were received.

Temperature—Day temperatures were below normal throughout the tropics during the month and minima or night temperatures showed a similar tendency but more particularly in the latter half.

The formation of low-pressure troughs on the west coast caused day temperatures to rise at times in the sub-tropics and the presence of cloud, more particularly in the third week, lifted minima above normal but otherwise temperatures were below normal particularly in the southern half and frosts, severe at times, were reported from the central and southern agricultural districts and south-west and south coastal areas.

The lowest minima were registered at Wandering where 28° was experienced on 7th, 29° on 13th and 30° on 16th.

The highest maximum reported was 96° at Fitzroy Crossing on the 2nd.

Low day temperatures were experienced during the middle and the last week of the month. On the 27th, the maximum temperature at Mount Barker did not rise above 51°—12° below normal. This disparity was reached at a number of other stations as far north as Wiluna and Meekatharra during the period, the last named registering only 60° on the 29th which is 16° below the normal expectancy at this time of the year.

Metropolitan—In Perth the rainfall for the month was 33 points above the normal, the total being 533 points which fell on 13 days.

Day temperatures exceeded the normal on only six days and failed to rise above 61° on four occasions, on two of which the mercury reached only 60°. The night readings exceeded the normal on only seven occasions, and the mean for the month was the lowest recorded for May.

The mean temperature—57.7°, was the second lowest for this month.

June

General—In contrast to the previous June, there was almost a complete absence of winter-type southern depressions. An occasional complex low-pressure distribution off the west coast formed small centres, some of which later developed into sizable depressions to the south or east, but it was not until the 26th that the main southern low-pressure belt extended northward sufficiently to encompass the southern half of the State.

Rainfall—The tropics and Gascoyne received little rain during the month. Light falls however extended from the agricultural areas through the Gascoyne to the Fortescue and De Grey divisions at times, and there were one or two recorded in the West Kimberley early in the month.

The formation of small centres of low pressure off the south-west coast caused heavy local rain in the south coast divisions about the middle of the month, but outside this region, although falls were fairly frequent—particularly in the first fortnight—they were comparatively light. Useful falls were received in the Fortescue and at a few places in the Gascoyne, otherwise rainfall in the tropics and sub-tropics was not of much value. In the agricultural area, although totals were generally well below normal, they were sufficient for most crops.

Temperature—Day temperatures were above normal during the first week and mainly below normal during the remainder of the month. They ranged from 93° at Fitzroy Crossing on the 6th to 50° at Mount Barker and Katanning on the 14th. Low temperatures were general in the South-West and South-Eastern divisions about the middle of the month when the maximum recorded at many places in the southern districts was below 60° for four successive days.

Night temperatures were about normal, the minima ranging from 79° at Kalumburu in the far north to 26° at Bridgetown and Wandering in the lower south-west.

In the second half of the month temperatures fell to freezing point somewhere in the State on 14 of the 15 days and some centres experienced heavy frosts. There were 13 at Rawlinna during this time, and at Mundiwindi, almost in the tropics, there were 5 during the last 6 days of the month.

Metropolitan—Although there were nearly the normal number of wet days in June, there were no particularly heavy falls, and the month's total of 444 points was nearly three inches below normal.

Temperatures were more frequently below normal than above, and although no day was particularly cold the mean temperature for the month was one of the lowest recorded.

There were no particularly strong winds and the maximum gust of 50 m.p.h. was rather lighter than is usual in June.

No. 51—Abstract of Meteorological Observations at Perth

(Latitude, 31° 57' S. Altitude above mean sea-level, 210 feet. Longitude, 115° 51' E)

1960		Barometric Pressure (Millibars at Mean Sea Level) (a)				Shade Temperature (* Fahr.)								Evaporation		Rainfall				
Month	Mean 9 a.m. and 3 p.m.	Normal	Highest	Lowest	Mean Maximum	Normal	Highest	Highest Since 1897		Mean Mini- mum	Normal	Lowest	Lowest Since 1897		Inches		Points		Wet Days	
								Max.	Year				Min.	Year	Total	Average 84 (b) Years	Total	Average 84 (b) Years	Total	Average 84 (b) Years
January	1,012.3	1,012.7	1,023.9	1,002.5	80.3	84.8	96.2	110.7	1956	60.6	63.3	52.6	48.6	1925	9.14	10.22	106	31	5	3
February	1,012.7	1,013.0	1,019.6	1,007.2	85.5	85.3	96.3	112.2	1933	64.6	63.6	55.9	47.7	1902	9.66	8.58	22	45	3	3
March	1,015.7	1,015.2	1,024.3	1,000.1	77.9	81.9	92.0	106.4	1922	59.3	61.5	52.0	45.8	1903	7.03	7.50	227	78	8	4
April	1,017.7	1,018.0	1,027.2	1,000.0	73.2	76.2	82.6	99.7	1910	53.5	57.2	40.6	39.3	1914	4.54	4.65	72	179	3	7
May	1,017.1	1,018.0	1,030.2	1,001.4	66.9	69.0	78.9	90.4	1907	48.5	52.7	41.2	34.3	1914	2.43	2.76	533	500	13	14
June	1,019.5	1,017.7	1,029.4	1,004.8	63.8	64.4	72.9	81.7	1914	47.6	49.7	39.3	34.9	1955	1.75	1.82	444	726	16	17

(a) 1,015.9 millibars = 30 inches.

(b) Up to and including 1959.

No. 52—Summary of Rainfall in Meteorological Districts

Six Months ended 30th June, 1960

District		Mean for Six Months ended 30th June, 1960	Thirty Year Normal for Rele- vant Six Months	Percentage De- parture from Thirty Year Normal	Highest Fall	Lowest Fall
		Points	Points	%	Points	Points
North Kimberley	.....	4,053	2,346	+ 73	Kalumburu	5,037
East Kimberley	.....	1,846	1,022	+ 81	Turkey Creek	3,801
West Kimberley	.....	2,005	1,630	+ 23	Cockatoo Island	5,172
De Grey	.....	1,365	977	+ 40	Roebourne	1,643
Fortescue	.....	1,183	827	+ 43	Wittenoom Gorge	1,637
West Gascoyne	.....	528	605	- 13	Carnarvon	789
East Gascoyne	.....	1,120	624	+ 79	Mundivindi	1,928
South West—						
North Coastal	.....	782	817	- 4	Mingenew	963
Central Coastal	.....	1,457	1,543	- 6	Jarrahdale	2,080
South Coastal	.....	1,778	1,619	+ 10	Dwellingup	2,558
Central North	.....	778	690	+ 13	York	1,204
Central South	.....	916	806	+ 14	Wandering	1,353
Eucla	.....	995	392	+ 154	Eucla	1,205
South-Eastern	.....	889	599	+ 48	Menzies	1,567
North-Eastern	.....	1,108	632	+ 75	Wiluna	1,404
					Wyndham	3,209
					Pallottine Mission	916
					Fitzroy Crossing	1,380
					Port Hedland	1,198
					Onslow	683
					Wooramel	296
					Yalgoo	645
					Ballidu	577
					Dandaragan	1,080
					Bremer Bay	986
					Kununoppin	534
					Ongerup	692
					Rawlinna	888
					Bullfinch	625
					Giles	879

XVI—BUILDING OPERATIONS

No. 55—New Buildings Completed

The figures in this table cover the operations of all builders who accept contracts for the construction of new buildings, "day labour" building by governmental agencies and the activities of "Owner-Builders." The term "Owner-Built" refers to buildings actually erected by the owner or under the owner's direction without the services of a contractor who is responsible for the whole job.

The value of land on which the buildings were erected is not included in the values shown.

A—HOUSES—CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO MATERIALS OF OUTER WALL

Period	Brick, Stone, Cement		Wood or predominantly Wood		Fibro-cement or predominantly Fibro-cement		Other		Total	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
1955	3,268	£'000 11,775	225	£'000 621	5,271	£'000 12,614	8	£'000 17	8,772	£'000 25,027
1956	3,017	10,491	62	175	2,964	6,864	4	9	6,047	17,539
1957	3,773	12,159	28	67	2,139	4,890	6	9	5,946	17,125
1958	3,764	12,501	41	115	1,935	4,547	3	4	5,743	17,167
1959	3,762	12,327	28	58	2,066	4,780	6	13	5,862	17,178
1960—										
March Quarter—										
Contract	839	2,661	3	9	232	598	....	....	1,074	3,268
Owner-Built	129	443	4	7	148	274	1	1	282	725
Total	968	3,104	7	16	380	872	1	1	1,356	3,993
June Quarter—										
Contract	1,025	3,194	2	8	278	740	....	....	1,305	3,942
Owner-Built	143	517	3	10	133	270	1	1	280	798
Total	1,168	3,711	5	18	411	1,010	1	1	1,585	4,740

B—OTHER DWELLINGS

Period	Flats (Individual Units)		Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.		Shop Dwellings		Total	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value (a)	No.	Value (b)
1955	397	£'000 855	9	£'000 237	32	£'000 166	438	£'000 1,258
1956	624	1,311	10	318	13	48	647	1,677
1957	177	375	11	203	15	63	203	641
1958	238	496	11	134	16	70	265	700
1959	224	422	11	380	12	34	247	836
1960—								
March Quarter	11	18	6	88	5	22	22	128
June Quarter	80	144	4	136	6	31	90	211

C—ALL OTHER BUILDINGS

Period	Shops without Dwelling	Factories	Offices and Other Business Premises	Educational Buildings	Health Buildings	Other	Total
	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value	Value
1955	£'000 1,025	£'000 3,405	£'000 (c) 2,233	£'000 (c) 955	£'000 (c) 728	£'000 (d) 5,875	£'000 10,305
1956	741	946	2,233	955	728	2,702	8,305
1957	728	1,110	2,914	544	574	1,690	7,560
1958	714	1,851	2,602	1,683	3,891	1,840	12,581
1959	490	986	3,853	2,421	866	1,746	10,362
1960—							
March Quarter	58	323	343	635	103	811	2,273
June Quarter	118	291	1,130	736	329	530	3,134

(a) Includes the value of shops which make up the combined buildings. Separate values for the dwelling units shown in preceding column are not available. (b) See note (a). (c) Separate particulars not available; included with "Other." (d) See note (c).

No. 56—Building Permits Issued by Local Government Authorities in the Metropolitan Area

(Excludes Commonwealth, State and Local Government Buildings as permits are not issued for such)

Period	New Dwellings and Hotels (a)		New Stores, Factories, Warehouses, and other Buildings		Additions and Alterations		Total Permits Issued	
	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value	No.	Value
		£		£		£		£
1950-51	5,818	11,035,330	164	633,360	4,725	887,065	10,707	12,555,755
1951-52	5,355	11,673,354	245	1,119,398	5,631	1,274,005	11,231	14,066,757
1952-53	4,311	11,134,189	409	2,111,673	5,619	1,629,954	10,339	14,875,816
1953-54	6,133	16,634,863	657	3,069,354	5,560	1,921,776	12,350	21,625,903
1954-55	6,460	18,239,972	696	3,999,729	5,181	2,059,259	12,337	24,298,960
1955-56	4,358	12,359,333	549	3,763,409	5,000	2,203,628	9,907	18,326,370
1956-57	4,214	12,221,470	387	4,451,000	4,761	1,746,425	9,362	18,418,955
1957-58	3,766	11,367,269	370	2,984,518	6,863	2,223,920	10,999	16,575,707
1958-59	3,311	10,049,579	314	3,594,766	5,156	1,702,322	8,781	15,346,667
1959-60	4,301	12,924,285	306	4,892,738	5,291	1,915,308	9,898	19,735,331
1959-60—								
September Quarter	1,126	3,387,006	69	888,242	1,380	443,556	2,575	4,718,804
December Quarter	982	2,964,005	75	699,143	1,300	464,840	2,357	4,127,988
March Quarter	1,009	3,038,493	77	996,528	1,269	475,815	2,355	4,510,836
June Quarter	1,184	3,554,781	85	2,308,825	1,342	534,097	2,611	6,377,703

(a)—In order to show some comparability with the figures of pre-war years, new dwellings include certain dwellings being erected under Commonwealth-State Housing Schemes for which permits may not have been granted by the Local Government Authority.

XVII—RETAIL SALES

No. 57—Retail Sales classified according to Commodity Groups

The figures in the table below relate to goods (as distinct from services, accommodation, entertainment, meals, etc.) sold to the public by establishments selling retail goods from fixed premises (shops, rooms, kiosks, yards).

(£ Million)

Period (a)	Groceries	Butchers' Meat	Other Food (b)	Beer, Wine, and Spirits	Clothing, Drapery, Piece-goods and Foot-wear	Hardware, China and Glass-ware (c)	Electrical Goods and Musical Instruments	Furniture and Floor Coverings	Other Goods (d)	Total (excluding Motor Vehicles, etc.)	Motor Vehicles, Tractors, Parts, Petrol etc. (e)
1954-55	24.9	9.6	15.8	15.9	27.5	10.0	7.4	6.3	29.5	146.9	50.7
1955-56	26.1	10.6	18.0	16.1	27.8	9.9	8.0	6.1	29.9	152.5	51.0
1956-57	26.2	11.3	18.6	17.6	28.1	10.1	7.5	6.1	30.3	155.8	49.3
1957-58	27.4	12.0	19.4	19.5	28.6	10.1	8.2	6.5	31.8	163.5	56.3
1958-59	28.7	11.1	19.4	18.4	29.4	10.7	8.7	6.5	31.5	164.4	54.7
1959-60	30.9	11.6	21.3	18.9	32.1	11.9	13.4	7.6	33.5	181.2	65.3
Sept. Qr.—											
1956	6.6	2.9	4.4	3.8	6.6	2.4	1.6	1.5	6.6	36.4	11.5
1957	6.6	3.1	4.5	4.2	6.7	2.5	1.9	1.6	7.0	38.1	13.6
1958	7.0	2.8	4.5	4.0	7.0	2.5	1.9	1.6	6.8	38.1	12.9
1959	7.5	2.9	4.9	4.2	7.4	2.7	2.4	1.7	7.0	40.7	14.6
Dec. Qr.—											
1956	6.7	2.8	4.8	4.7	8.2	2.7	2.3	1.6	7.8	41.6	12.5
1957	7.2	3.0	5.0	5.3	8.5	2.9	2.6	1.8	8.1	44.4	14.7
1958	7.6	2.7	5.0	5.2	8.4	3.0	2.9	1.8	8.0	44.6	14.0
1959	8.0	2.9	5.5	5.2	9.1	3.3	3.6	2.0	8.5	48.1	16.8
March Qr.—											
1957	6.3	2.7	4.7	4.9	6.0	2.4	1.8	1.5	8.1	38.4	12.1
1958	6.7	2.9	5.0	5.4	6.0	2.4	2.0	1.5	8.5	40.4	14.0
1959	7.0	2.7	5.2	5.0	6.0	2.6	2.0	1.5	8.0	40.0	13.7
1960	7.5	2.8	5.7	5.1	7.0	2.9	3.5	1.9	9.0	45.4	16.4
June Qr.—											
1957	6.6	2.9	4.7	4.2	7.3	2.6	1.8	1.5	7.8	39.4	13.2
1958	6.9	3.0	4.9	4.6	7.4	2.3	1.7	1.6	8.2	40.6	14.0
1959	7.1	2.9	4.7	4.2	8.0	2.6	1.9	1.6	8.7	41.7	14.1
1960	7.9	3.0	5.2	4.4	8.6	3.0	3.9	2.0	9.0	47.0	17.5

(a) Figures subsequent to June, 1957, are subject to revision.

(b) Includes Fresh Fruit and Vegetables, Confectionery, Soft Drinks, Ice Cream, Cakes, Pastry, Cooked Provisions, Fish, etc., but excludes most delivered Milk and some delivered Bread.

(c) Excludes Basic Building Materials (e.g., Timber, Building Sheets, Tiles, Joinery, Cement.)

(d) Includes Tobacco, Cigarettes, etc., Newspapers, Books and Stationery, Chemists' Goods, Grain and Produce, Jewellery, Office Equipment, Sports Goods, etc.

(e) Excludes Farm Machinery and Implements, Earth-moving Equipment, etc.

No. 58—Retail Hire Purchase Operations of Finance Businesses

Figures relate to businesses which finance the sale of goods by retail but do not retail goods themselves. These comprise public and private companies, partnerships, banks and other finance businesses.

Period	Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.			Plant and Machinery			Household and Personal Goods (a)			Total (All Goods)			Total Balances Outstanding at end of each period (d)
	Agreements Made	Total Value of Goods (b)	Amount Financed (c)	Agreements Made	Total Value of Goods (b)	Amount Financed (c)	Agreements Made	Total Value of Goods (b)	Amount Financed (c)	Agreements Made	Total Value of Goods (b)	Amount Financed (c)	
(g)	No.	£'000	£'000	No.	£'000	£'000	No.	£'000	£'000	No.	£'000	£'000	£'000
1955-56	21,810	14,644	9,133	821	531	334	57,592	4,484	3,674	80,223	19,659	13,141	15,388
1956-57	20,790	13,524	8,325	1,385	963	604	60,417	4,338	3,523	82,592	18,825	12,452	15,488
1957-58	23,321	18,176	11,263	1,829	1,542	1,081	64,214	4,811	3,880	92,364	24,529	16,224	19,052
1958-59	26,998	18,216	11,264	2,145	1,782	1,167	51,842	4,175	3,347	80,985	24,173	15,778	20,779
1959-60	30,898	22,123	13,891	2,811	2,271	1,435	46,676	5,196	4,209	80,385	29,590	19,535	25,169
Sept. Qr—													
1955	6,265	4,091	2,458	168	115	70	12,897	949	772	19,330	5,155	3,300	15,078
1956	5,174	3,850	2,091	205	119	80	12,558	840	684	17,937	4,309	2,855	15,276
1957	5,904	3,903	2,413	282	223	169	17,283	1,155	934	23,469	5,281	3,516	15,982
1958	6,536	4,318	2,668	359	291	208	13,213	959	772	20,108	5,568	3,648	19,605
1959	6,941	4,799	2,980	445	329	213	10,824	941	753	18,210	6,060	3,946	21,407
Dec. Qr—													
1955	5,841	3,977	2,510	220	146	90	16,304	1,373	1,124	22,365	5,496	3,724	16,080
1956	5,404	3,510	2,150	425	338	209	16,837	1,308	1,063	22,666	5,156	3,422	15,877
1957	6,959	4,633	2,884	555	503	339	17,982	1,420	1,146	25,496	6,556	4,369	17,470
1958	7,240	4,911	3,053	748	771	487	16,002	1,283	1,051	23,990	6,965	4,591	21,201
1959	8,196	5,974	3,745	1,020	1,110	696	12,243	1,244	1,000	21,459	8,328	5,441	23,633
March Qr—													
1956	5,128	3,531	2,219	108	134	85	15,002	1,302	1,063	20,328	4,967	3,367	15,844
1957	4,933	3,183	1,952	370	282	174	15,305	1,164	944	20,608	4,629	3,070	15,331
1958	6,736	4,822	3,000	494	408	278	14,599	1,224	981	21,829	6,454	4,259	18,155
1959	6,605	4,522	2,801	441	316	209	11,777	1,085	842	18,823	5,923	3,852	20,526
1960	7,800	5,301	3,311	596	390	247	11,475	1,524	1,210	19,871	7,215	4,768	23,279
June Qr—													
1956	4,576	3,045	1,946	235	136	89	13,389	860	715	18,200	4,041	2,750	15,388
1957	5,279	3,480	2,133	385	224	141	15,717	1,026	831	21,381	4,730	3,105	15,488
1958	6,695	4,811	2,961	498	408	295	14,350	1,012	819	21,543	6,231	4,075	19,052
1959	6,617	4,465	2,742	597	404	263	10,850	848	682	18,064	5,717	3,687	20,779
1960	7,882	5,979	3,805	750	442	279	12,134	1,487	1,246	20,766	7,908	5,330	25,169

(a) Includes furniture and furnishings, domestic refrigerators, electrical goods, radios, musical instruments, bicycles and other household and personal goods, list price (excluding hiring charges and insurance).

(c) Excludes hiring charges and insurance.

(d) Includes hiring charges and insurance.

(b) Value at net cash or

XVIII—MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS

No. 59—Motor Vehicles on Register

Date	Metropolitan Traffic Area				Whole State (a)			
	Cars (including Station Wagons) (b)	Utilities, Vans, Trucks (b)	Buses	Motor Cycles	Cars (including Station Wagons) (b)	Utilities, Vans, Trucks (b)	Buses	Motor Cycles
End of June—								
1950	28,529	12,530	443	7,707	48,632	42,370	836	12,897
1951	32,966	14,461	485	8,876	56,235	46,964	944	14,535
1952	37,873	16,368	506	9,952	64,277	51,045	982	16,047
1953	41,231	18,394	519	9,855	69,917	55,420	1,025	15,565
1954	47,819	20,400	574	9,692	78,312	59,257	1,105	15,243
1955	55,720	22,694	534	9,605	90,255	62,753	1,117	14,662
1956	61,835	24,169	548	9,253	98,785	64,430	1,175	13,873
1957	65,013	24,354	560	8,770	103,788	64,806	1,204	13,146
1958	69,414	24,217	553	8,580	110,573	65,046	1,190	12,827
1959	75,203	25,222	584	9,080	118,112	66,617	1,213	13,411
1960—								
End of—								
January	79,633	26,120	571	9,464	122,846	67,210	1,102	13,352
February	79,930	26,152	571	9,573	123,988	67,566	1,194	13,538
March	80,399	26,149	565	9,581	125,271	68,301	1,197	13,714
April	81,064	26,180	559	9,579	125,710	68,060	1,190	13,545
May	81,305	26,109	555	9,515	126,812	68,727	1,192	13,609
June	81,636	26,058	554	9,422	127,863	69,131	1,194	13,609

(a) Includes Commonwealth-owned vehicles other than those of Defence Services.

(b) Prior to June 1957 Station Wagons are included with Utilities, Vans, Trucks.

No. 60—Registrations of New Motor Vehicles

Period	Metropolitan Traffic Area					Whole State (a)				
	Cars	Station Wagons	Utilities Vans, Trucks	Buses	Motor Cycles	Cars	Station Wagons	Utilities, Vans, Trucks	Buses	Motor Cycles
1950	4,664	(b)	1,901	86	1,214	9,351	(b)	5,815	150	2,390
1951	4,263	(b)	2,088	51	1,886	7,921	(b)	5,792	101	3,193
1952	4,083	(b)	2,006	74	1,121	8,078	193	5,356	115	1,939
1953	4,460	64	1,805	57	746	8,166	103	4,968	76	1,239
1954	6,499	161	2,326	34	736	11,667	217	5,866	70	1,267
1955	6,852	162	2,371	18	701	11,612	233	5,373	59	1,130
1956	5,219	97	1,759	24	724	9,067	169	4,413	85	1,057
1957	5,639	228	1,856	35	1,007	9,865	370	4,385	71	1,447
1958	5,794	762	1,942	15	1,306	9,548	1,290	4,784	43	1,860
1959	5,957	1,205	2,454	20	1,615	9,785	1,962	5,684	55	2,187
1960—										
January	471	75	134	....	123	711	142	326	2	170
February	559	136	204	....	178	903	214	427	7	232
March	632	114	186	7	144	987	199	470	10	177
April	610	121	157	3	85	945	216	401	8	114
May	635	158	212	1	76	970	268	474	3	102
June	712	175	208	3	60	1,086	261	444	5	98

(a) Includes Commonwealth-owned vehicles other than those of Defence Services, included with Utilities, Vans, Trucks.

(b) Not available separately;

XIX—MISCELLANEOUS

No. 61—Population and Dwellings in each Statistical Division

(Exclusive of full-blood aboriginals and dwellings occupied solely by them)

Statistical Division	Population				Dwellings (a)			
	Census, 30th June, 1954			Estimated Persons at 30th June, 1960	Census, 30th June, 1954			Estimated Dwellings at 30th June, 1960
	Males	Females	Persons		Occupied	Un-occupied	Total	
Metropolitan	171,832	176,815	348,647	395,000	90,741	1,839	92,580	117,051
Swan	24,370	22,032	46,402	59,000	12,004	1,478	13,482	17,068
South-West	36,607	31,946	68,553	79,524	17,336	1,540	18,876	22,323
Southern Agricultural....	19,140	16,985	36,125	42,790	9,159	445	9,604	11,324
Central Agricultural	30,502	25,422	55,924	64,216	13,378	407	13,785	15,490
Northern Agricultural....	17,663	14,405	32,068	37,157	7,403	276	7,679	8,980
Eastern Goldfields	18,560	16,018	34,578	35,460	9,607	524	10,131	10,119
Central	2,930	1,864	4,794	4,356	1,205	29	1,234	1,056
North-West	2,751	1,469	4,220	4,372	749	11	760	858
Pilbara	1,795	855	2,650	3,480	564	40	604	674
Kimberley	2,303	1,240	3,543	4,726	677	25	702	818
Migratory (b)	1,905	362	2,267	....	....	....	....	....
Total	330,358	309,413	639,771	(c) 730,581	162,823	6,614	169,437	205,761
Total, Census, 30th June, 1947	258,076	244,404	502,480	....	124,767	2,606	127,373	....

(a) For the purpose of the Census, a "dwelling" is any habitation occupied by or for occupation by a household group living together as a domestic unit, whether comprising the whole or part of a building. The term has, therefore, a very wide reference and includes, in addition to houses and flats, a great variety of "dwellings" ranging from a single-roomed shack to a multi-roomed hotel or institution.

(b) Persons (both passengers and crew) not enumerated elsewhere who at midnight between the 30th June and the 1st July, 1954, were on board ships or were travelling on long-distance trains or aircraft.

(c) Represents population at Census, 30th June, 1954, plus natural increase and recorded net migration since that date. Figures subject to revision after the next Census.

No. 62—Employment

Factories

Index numbers showing the trend in Factory Employment since 1950

(Base: Mean Employment in 1928-29, — 19,799, = 100)

Year	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Annual Mean
1950	194	197	200	200	203	202	204	204	204	206	207	207	202
1951	208	212	215	215	216	215	218	217	216	217	217	215	214
1952	214	216	216	215	214	211	211	212	211	212	213	213	213
1953	213	217	220	221	222	220	221	221	223	224	227	227	221
1954	226	228	231	230	231	230	230	230	232	233	234	233	231
1955	237	240	242	243	242	239	238	239	241	241	243	242	241
1956	241	241	240	239	238	235	231	230	233	233	233	232	236
1957	232	235	236	234	234	231	229	229	232	232	233	232	232
1958	231	233	234	233	230	228	229	229	230	232	231	231	231
1959	229	231	233	233	232	229	†229	†230	†232	†233	†235	†234	†232
1960	†233	†236	†235	†234	†235	†236	....	....	....	....	....	....	....

† Preliminary figures; based primarily on Pay-roll Tax Returns.

No. 63—Companies Registered

Period	Local Companies		Foreign Companies Registered
	Registered	Nominal Capital	
1954-55	No. 256	£ 30,273,601	No. 100
1955-56	233	12,912,202	91
1956-57	198	12,824,600	90
1957-58	320	16,129,600	104
1958-59	276	14,260,852	122
1959-60	347	19,043,800	159
1959-60—			
September Quarter	91	4,325,800	38
December Quarter	82	3,820,000	41
March Quarter	75	3,404,000	35
June Quarter	99	8,094,000	45

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